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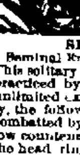

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Call for an International Temperance Convention.

NEW YORK, Jan 17—The National Temperance Society has issued a call for an international temperance conference in Philadelphia on June 13 as a fitting occasion to consider the relations of temperance reform in its scientific economical, intellectual, social moral and religious aspects to individual and national life, its progress and needs and to invite to our deliberations representatives of the cause of temperance from foreign countries

Shot by His Wife.

CINCINNATI, O, Jan 17—Edward Richardson a prominent citizen of Massillon, Ohio and a member of the city council was shot and instantly killed yesterday by his wife. She states the act was committed in self-defense as her husband was approaching her to cut her throat with a razor It is thought to have been a premeditated affair The coroner's verdict has been that Richardson came to his death by a pistol shot fired by his wife Emily A. R[illegible]

Tredegar Iron Works Suspended!

RICHMOND, Jan 17—The Tredegar Iron Works have suspended. From 500 to 600 operatives are thrown out of work. The liabilities are not yet known, but a statement is being prepared

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 17.—Gen. Jos. R Anderson, of the Tredegar Iron Co. makes a statement to the effect that the company having lost largely by the failure of other parties during the panic of 1873, has been compelled in consequence of these losses and the continued depression in the iron trade to suspend payment. He hopes however, the suspension will be temporary Before the panic the company was worth a million and a half dollars over its liabilities. After the panic of 1873 owing to the large amount due by the Chesapeake and Ohio and N. Y., Oswego and Midland railroads it became embarrassed, and an extension was granted, the creditors being insured by deeds of trust on the company's property It is believed the liabilities, not covered by said deed, will not exceed one million dollars

Picked Up at Sea.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan 17.—The pilot boat *Oriental* picked up at sea yesterday, about 14 miles south southeast of South West Pass 10 bales of cotton, the pilot boat *Ella* 6 bales, and the pilot boat *Hayes* 2 bales. The bark *Galathea* reports passing a bark in that direction, hove to and picking up cotton.

Kentucky Senatorial Contest.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 17—The name of ex Gov Leslie was withdrawn from the Senatorial contest this morning at Frankfort, leaving two candidates, Hon. J. B. Beck and Gen. John S. Williams A Democratic caucus will be held to-night

Pacific Mail and Panama.

NEW YORK Jan 17—It is rumored that negotiations are progressing for a new contract between the Pacific Mail and Panama R. R., with prospects of success and that those for refunding to the former company the amounts expended by Stockwell, while the subsidy bill was pending, are on the eve of completion

Foreign Rifle Teams Coming to the Centennial.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17—Sir Henry Halford, a noted English rifleman, has been for some time past earnestly engaged in organizing an English team of twelve, to be one of many European teams expected to compete in the United States during the Centennial against an American team of equal numbers. That an Irish team would appear on the scene, had been practically settled. A Scotch team was expected, while there are good reasons to believe that rifle teams will be here from France, Belgium Germany, and probably Italy A cable dispatch received to-day, however, by Judge Gildersleeve, from Sir Henry Halford, puts the matter in a new light, in so far as England, Ireland and Scotland are concerned —the desire of the directors of the English rifle association being to make up its team of twelve from among riflemen of English, Irish and Scotch associations The following is the text of the dispatch received by Gildersleeve from Sir Henry Halford:

LONDON Jan 17, 1876.

The directors resolutions alter the conditions understood by us, namely: Great Britain and Ireland vs America. The council meet on Friday. I am sure they will not sustain the terms

AMERICA'S REPLY

NEW YORK Jan 17, 1876

To Sir Henry Halford—Any team you organize will be accepted,—English, Scotch Irish or mixed.

GILDERSLEEVE.

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17—Gold closed at 113⅛, money [illegible]; Governments, active and strong, stocks active and unsettled W. U. 76⅝, Quicksilver 17½, Pacific, 38⅝, Mariposa 8¼, N. Y. C. 108¼; Wells Fargo, 82¼; Erie 16⅝, Panama, 130, Union Pacific, 71 do bonds, 103, Central bonds 104⅞.

Democratic Senator from Iowa Nominated.

DES MOINES, Jan 17—The Democrats in caucus this evening, nominated the Hon Shepard Leffler for the U. S. Senate

Indian Troubles.

ST LOUIS, Jan 17—The *Republican's* Kansas City special says a scout arrived from Fort Wallace, Ks, yesterday and reported that a large number of Indians were coming north and west, and would cross the Kansas Pacific R R for Buffalo station The commandant of the post immediately sent a detachment of cavalry after the Indians and they were overtaken a few miles from the railroad They said they were Omahas going north on a hunt, but as they left their agency without permission, they were ordered to return at once The party numbered nearly 1,000, and it is thought they were trying to get north to attack a party of Sioux, who are on a grand buffalo hunt

Lynch Law.

The Memphis *Appeal* says "Thursday night a body of disguised men took four negroes from the jail at Friar's Point, Miss., and shot them to death The mob reached town soon after dark and compelled the jailer to surrender the jail keys, which were in the court house safe The mob then entered the jail and unlocked the cells in which were confined four desperate negroes—Jim Stokes, Bob Young, Corey Irwin and Tom Pugh The prisoners were quickly tied and taken a mile from town and riddled with bullets. There were fifty or sixty men in the mob, half of them being negroes The men were quite hasty yet sure in their work, and as soon as they had tied the prisoners they hurried them out on the sheriff Ridge road, where they were riddled with bullets and left. Jim Stokes, one of the negroes murdered, burned a gin belonging to Mr Branch on the night of January 7th, having six weeks before robbed a man on the road. Bob Young was thought to have been engaged with Stokes in a number of robberies. Corey Irwin had committed a number of robberies and had stabbed a man in an effort to kill him. Pugh was guilty of arson and robbery and had burned Capt. Howard's gin and stables, thirteen horses and mules being burned in the stables

WASHINGTON CITY.

Announcement of the Death of the Vice-President.

WASHINGTON, Jan 17.—The death of Vice-President Wilson will be announced in the Senate Friday next by Senator Boutwell who will speak on the life and character of deceased Senators Anthony, Cameron of Pennsylvania Cragin, Dawes, Gordon, Hamlin Ingalls, Morrill of Vermont, Morton and Stevenson will also make addresses

Assistant Treasurer Nominated.

The President has nominated George S. Bangs as assistant treasurer of the United States at Chicago

A Tour of Inspection.

The House committee on appropriations this afternoon, visited various Government institutions in the District of Columbia, for which appropriations are asked.

Texas Border Commission.

WASHINGTON, Jan 17—The Texas border committee appointed a sub committee to examine the information in the War Department on the subject of raids from Mexico, &c. The committee will not visit Texas, but will send to Texas for persons and papers.

Present Condition of the Cuban Question.

Secretary Fish was to-day before the House committee on foreign affairs by invitation and in general terms informed the committee of the present condition of the Cuban question He did not specifically state the terms of the circular recently addressed to foreign nations on that subject, but intimated that it is merely asked their moral support in the event of the mediation or intervention of the United States. Alluding to the recent telegram from Madrid giving the outline of Spain's reply to the American circular, he said he did not regard its tone as unfriendly As to the negotiations now in progress, they were conducted in a conciliatory spirit on both sides and certainly without threats on the part of the United States and he hoped the negotiations would terminate satisfactorily He was willing the correspondence should be laid before the House, and this would be done should that body call for it. Subsequently, a resolution was offered calling for the correspondence which will soon be communicated by the President to the House

Meeting of the Democratic National Committee Called

WASHINGTON Jan 17 The sergeant at arms of the House of Representatives received a letter from Augustus Schell saying We will issue a call to-morrow for the Democratic national committee to meet at Washington on the [illegible] of February to fix the place and time for holding the convention for nominating candidates for President and Vice President.

Instructions to the U.S. Attorney in Louisiana.

WASHINGTON, Jan 17—The instructions sent to District Attorney Beckwith of Louisiana, by the Attorney General, for the purpose of preventing the disturbance of public peace are altogether general in their character and such as would be sent to any United States attorneys in districts where violations of the law were reported to the national authorities.

Vacancies in the National Republican Committee to be Filled

The members of the national Republican Congressional committee at a meeting to-night took measures for filling the existing vacancies looking to active operations in the coming campaign

Gen. Beauregard Asks the Removal of His Political Disabilities.

The following is a letter of General Beauregard applying for the removal of his political disabilities

NEW ORLEANS January 9th

Dear General My friends here believing I can be of service to the State of Louisiana by becoming a member of the proposed levee board of commissioners have expressed a desire that I should apply to have my disabilities removed in order that there should be no doubt of my ability to hold a state appointment I beg you therefore to have the kindness to present to Congress my application for the removal of my disabilities.

Yours, G T BEAUREGARD

To Gen G B Gordon U S Senate, Washington

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Preliminaries for a Rifle Match Arranged.

LONDON Jan 17—Sir Henry Halford has arranged all the preliminaries for a rifle match for small bores between the National Rifle Association of Great Britain and American associations The match will take place during the Centennial exhibition

Mill Hands Locked Out.

Six hundred weavers of lower Heyes mills at Marysfield, have been locked out

Movements of the Prince of Wales.

CALCUTTA, Jan 17—The Prince of Wales has left Delhi for Lahore and Cashmere. The rajah of Cashmere is preparing a magnificent reception

England's Position with Regard to Turkish Reforms.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The *Times* in an editorial urging adhesion to Count Andrassy's note says the Sublime Porte was never before in so critical a state If the opportunity Count Andrassy's note offers for settling Eastern questions be not improved the powers will be forced to apply tougher methods to a wider area. England may be able to determine whether the occasion shall be seized or not She stands therefore in a position of peculiar responsibility.

Convent School to be Closed.

LONDON, Jan 17—The *Times* Berlin special says the Government will close the Ursuline Convent school on the 1st of April next.

English Grain Trade.

LONDON Jan 17—The *Mark Lane Express* weekly review of the grain trade says, winter returned last week with greatly increased severity but no change from mild and damp weather has been serviceable to the newly threshed samples which had scarcely found buyers in consequence of their miserable condition To this we attribute the moderate decline in averages rather than to any actual reduction but we can hardly rely upon a full recovery in condition until March sets in so we have six weeks before we can expect much benefit though the land has been getting somewhat drained of superfluous moisture in preparation for spring planting We note by weekly sales that now we have exactly reached the average of last year, when the crop was a good one Unless the imports continue to be overdone which with northern ports closed and New York quotations fully five shillings per quarter dearer, seems quite improbable, there must eventually be a recovery in prices as our wants become conspicuous More firmness is evinced at Paris and some provincial markets, also in Belgium, but Dutch and German markets have ruled dull roads and canals being obstructed by ice and snow the latter seems to have been more plentiful in other parts of Europe, than in England

Germany Ready for the Centennial.

BERLIN Jan 17—Germany's preparations for her display at the Philadelphia Exhibition have been completed except the appointment of members of the German jury and the compilation of the catalogue No further obstacle to forwarding articles to be exhibited now exists Herr Bartel Inspector of buildings, has gone to Philadelphia as technical assistant counsellor of the exhibition commission for the purpose of managing in conjunction with the remaining German nations

Fire.

LONDON Jan 17—Dilworth & Sons cotton mills Manchester have been destroyed by fire The loss is estimated at £60,000

Conservative Majorities in France.

PARIS Jan 17—The Conservatives have elected a majority of Senatorial delegates in the following departments Ille et Villaine, Somme Pas de Calais, Haute Sauvae Maune Aune, Salme Inferiure, Vosges Lot Er, Garonne Alorre Cotes du Nord, Correze, Loire et Chen, Ronchis du Rhone, Puy de Dome The delegates elected in the departments of Gonne and Magenne are equally divided between the parties

A grand electoral committee of the Conservative Union has been formed under the presidency of Gen Changarnier It appeals to all who support the manifesto issued by President MacMahon

Burned.

LONDON Jan 18—Lamley & Simpson's cotton mill at Batley was burned to-day Damage £40,000 Two hundred operatives were thrown out of employment

Montenegro has Purchased 15,000 Muskets.

LONDON, Jan 18—A dispatch from Vienna asserts that Montenegro has purchased 15,000 more muskets that the bargain was made through a Russian agent and the arms paid with Russian money

The Steamer Sailor Ashore.

WEST COWES, Isle of Wight, Jan 18—The North German Lloyds steamer *Sailor*, from New York for Bremen, is ashore on the Bramble Efforts to get her afloat have been unsuccessful

AN OPPRESSIVE MONOPOLY

CANYON CITY Jan 7 1876

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Over twenty five years ago, wagons traversed the country from Boise to the Dalles Early in 1864, wagons came directly from The Dalles to Canyon City, with immense loads of freight on the exact line, with every few exceptions, of the present celebrated "Dalles Military Road" In those days freights were high and money plenty, and the teamsters built the road But of late years like a great serpent this "Military road" has dragged itself through the entire length of our beautiful valley and to-day this road monopoly is endeavoring to swallow up the farms and fortunes of those brave men who subdued this valley and won it from the savage Is it right for this monopoly to take from the people their homes and then sell them back to them at whatever extortion it sees fit? This "Military road" has been one of the great drawbacks to Grant county. Many left, and others turned aside from the John Day valley to seek homes at Goose Lake and Ochoco, where they hoped to procure titles without extortion, The "Military road" is found there also, like a great reptile, it is coiled in the tall grass of Goose Lake, Ochoco and the John Day and after the weary emigrant has pitched his tent he knows not whether he is plowing his own land or that of a monopoly The "military road" job amounted to over 600,000 acres of land, and the entire "jobbery" of the concern foots up near three quarter millions of dollars and to-day the mails come in to Canyon City on horseback the road in places being impassable for a two-horse buckboard" Grant county does not want to be known as a colony, isolated from her sister counties and the busy world generally We want immigration, want aid from the stout arm of labor, and the capital of the rich to develope our gold and silver mines and make the valleys blossom as the rose If the advantages of this county were more generally known abroad we would have nothing to fear as to immigration

JUNIPER

The financial history of the Holladay railroad system is substantially this The roads were built out of the proceeds of bonds disposed of almost entirely in the German market The bonds were to bear seven per cent interest The first default on the interest occurred three or four years ago and continued until the summer of 1874 when an agent of the bondholders came to this coast and inspected the affairs of the roads The result of his visit was that it was arranged between the bondholders and Holladay that the former should take the net earnings of the road and if they should not yield 25 per cent interest on the bonds Holladay would make up the difference. As it turned out the earnings did not reach that figure and Holladay has failed to come to time with his promised pro rata Therefore there is a second default and the bondholders could now if they chose foreclose the mortgage and take possession of the road But instead of doing that as it seems an amicable arrangement has been effected whereby the bondholders take the road without any litigation *S. F. Chronicle*

Money orders to the amount of $12,397 81 were issued at the Roseburg postoffice in 1875 and $13,045 93 was paid on orders received

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON Jan 17—The Chair laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury inclosing a report of the superintendent of the U S coast survey showing the progress of the work during the year ending June 30 1875 accompanied by engraved maps showing the condition of the work on the Atlantic, Pacific and Gulf coasts Ordered to be printed

Edmunds from the judiciary committee reported adversely on the Senate bill concerning the competency of witnesses in the federal courts It was placed in the calendar with adverse reports at the request of Ingalls who introduced the bill

West introduced a bill to aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from the Missouri river to the Pacific ocean

West also introduced a bill to recover from the Central and Union P R R Co the bonds and coupons issued to them in excess of the amount prescribed by law. He said three million dollars worth of bonds had been issued to these companies in excess of the amount authorized by law There had been issued to the C. P and U. P R R. Cos, over $68,900,000, when the act of Congress specifically provided that no more than $50,000,000 worth of bonds should be given them Not only had bonds been issued in excess of the amount authorized but the Government has been paying interest on them Consequently the Government by an erroneous construction of the law had been deprived of over three million dollars worth of bonds and had paid interest on the excess as well as on the $50,000,000 authorized.

Morrill said he was in favor of the bill introduced by Senator West but he didn't desire to be committed to the idea, which he had heard of, to the effect that any amount recovered from these roads should be given to aid the Southern Pac. R. R. bill approved July 1st, 1863, and July 22, 1874. He spoke of the recent decision of the Supreme Court in the Pacific R R. case, and the liability of the Government to lose not only the interest on the bonds issued to those companies, but the bonds also and said it seemed to him that the legislative body of the Government should step in and adopt some measure to prevent such loss He quoted from the acts of Congress in regard to these companies and said it was evident that the United States would incur loss unless $160,000,000 be collected from them He offered the bill with a view to protect the interest of the Government and asked that it be referred to the committee on railroads

Morrill of Vermont, inquired if this bill had anything to do with the Southern Pacific railway

West replied that the road was mentioned in the bill

Sargent said the judiciary committee of the Senate had already been instructed to inquire into the subject These railroad companies in every way placed themselves in a defiant attitude toward the Government and aided by certain low papers declared any attempt to make them pay the Government was an attempt to blackmail them He thought the judiciary committee was the proper one to have the subject in charge, and hoped the Senator from Louisiana, West would consent to the bill being referred to that committee

West accepted the suggestion and the bill was referred to the judiciary committee

Mitchell introduced a bill to establish a land office in Southern Utah to be known as the Beaver district, referred to the committee on public lands

Booth introduced a bill with relation to the land heretofore granted to the railroad companies, referred to the committee on public lands

Bills were introduced and referred as follows

Kelly from the committee on railroads reported with an amendment the Senate bill to extend the time for the construction and completion of the Northern Pacific railroad He asked that the amendments be printed and the bill and amendments re committed, so ordered

Boutwell presented a petition of citizens of Massachusetts asking the passage of a law making every member of Congress directly responsible to the electors of his district, the majority of whom if he does not meet their expectations or justify their confidence may at any time recall him, and appoint a successor: referred to judiciary committee

Sherman submitted a concurrent resolution proposing a committee on a unit of money and accounts for the United States and Great Britain The resolution requests the President to propose a treaty convention between the two countries, to establish the dollar as the money of account in both of them It is to be represented by a coin formed of standard nine-tenths pure, and one tenth copper or copper and silver alloy Five of these new dollars are to be equivalent of one pound sterling Gold coins of various denominations conforming to this standard are to be issued and be legal tender within each country

Hamilton called up the resolution of Edmunds, reported favorably upon by the committee on rules, which provides that the joint rules in force at the last session of Congress shall be the joint rules for government of the two houses during the present session

The question being on the amendment of Morton to except the 22d joint rule in relation to counting votes for President and Vice President of the United States, but the morning hour having expired the Chair announced the resolution would be laid over

Boutwell said the officers of the treasury department were preparing a statement in answer to the points made by the Senator from West Virginia Davis Thursday last and it would not be ready for use of the Senate until to-morrow

The Senate then resumed consideration of the resolution with regard to the joint rules After debate the Senate, without action upon the resolution went into executive session and soon after adjourned

Booth introduced a bill in relation to lands heretofore granted railroad companies, which provides that all such lands on either side of any portion of road accepted by government as completed, shall be subject to local taxation and requires the commissioner of the general land office to prepare and deliver without delay patents for all lands thus earned if free from conflicting claims and clearly within the limits of the grant If the costs of survey etc are not paid by the railroad company they may be paid by any purchaser at the tax sale of such lands and constitute a lien upon the patent which shall then be issued to the company The bill also requires the Pacific railroad companies to sell any land not disposed of within three years after the completion of any road to the first settler upon compliance with the terms of the preemption laws

Sargent introduced a bill to amend the laws relating to silver coin It proposes to make the trade dollar a legal tender at its nominal value for amounts not exceeding $20 in any one payment and silver half dollars legal tender for amounts up to $10

Senator West's bill amendatory of the Pacific Railroad bill of July 1 1862 and July 2 1864 proposes to repeal so much of the existing laws as provide that only one half of the compensation for services rendered for the government by the Pacific railroad companies shall be required to be applied to the payment of the government bonds issued to aid in the construction of their roads The bill then provides that from and after its enactment all compensation for services rendered for the government by the Pacific railroad companies shall be applied to the payment of the bonds issued to and interest paid and to be paid for said companies, until the whole amount is fully reimbursed to the United States

Senator West's bill to recover from the Central and Union Pacific railroad companies certain bonds and coupons directs the Secretary of the Treasury to require payment from them of the sum of $3,12[illegible] with interest thereon for which amount the bill asserts bonds of the United States were issued to said companies in excess of and in violation of the limitation prescribed by section 11 of the Pacific R R act approved July 1st 1862 The Secretary of the Treasury is directed to require from said companies the repayment of all interest coupons of said bonds which have been paid by the United States since their issue and the value of all unpaid coupons attached to said bonds and in case either of said companies shall neglect or refuse to make such payment within sixty days after demand made upon its treasurer the Secretary of the Treasury shall certify that fact to the Attorney General who shall thereupon institute proceedings to collect and otherwise obtain redress in the proper circuit courts of the United States and prosecute such suits with all convenient dispatch to a final termination, The bill further provides that such causes shall have precedence in the Circuit or U S Supreme Court over all other business

House.

The Speaker called the States for bills for reference and the following were referred

By Joyce, to reframe stamp duties on medicines also to prevent traffic in spirituous or intoxicating liquors in the Centennial buildings or grounds during the exhibition

By Banks for the removal of all political disabilities

By Starkweather prescribing form of oath for members of Congress

By Cutler applying the proceeds of public lands to the support of free schools

By Parker resolutions of the Pennsylvania legislature in reference to the appropriation of $1,500,000 for the Centennial celebration

By Townsend of Pennsylvania to repeal the act providing for a redistribution of National Bank currency

By Jenks, to reduce the salaries of all executive and legislative officers of the government except army and navy officers on [illegible] 20 per cent and [illegible] the salary of the President at $[illegible]

By Randall directing the [illegible] of [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] certificates by the board [illegible]

By Harris of Virginia to repeal the act prohibiting the payment of debts due by the United States except on proof of loyalty

By O'Brien proposing the following amendment to the constitution Section 1—No State shall make any law respecting the establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof and no minister or preacher of the Gospel or any religious creed or denomination shall hold any office of trust or employment under the United States or any state nor shall any religious test be required as qualification for office in any State or under the United States Section 2 No money received by taxation in any State for the support of public schools or derived from any public fund therefor nor for any public lands devoted thereto shall ever be under the control of any religious sect, nor shall any money so raised nor lands so devoted be divided between religious sects or denominations nor shall any minister or preacher of the gospel of any religious creed or denomination hold any office in connection with the public schools in any State or be eligible to any position of trust or emolument in connection with any institution public or private in any State or in the United States which shall be supported in whole or in part from any public fund Mr O'Brien said he would offer it as an amendment to Blaine's proposition

By Darrall for the improvement of Bayou La Fourche

By [illegible] for an appropriation of $4,000,000 to repair and rebuild the levees of the Mississippi

By Woodworth to establish a bureau of transportation to regulate the management of railroads and of the transportation companies employed in interstate commerce

By Hurd, to restore to gold and silver their monetary use in the United States from and after January 1877, and to repeal the act for the resumption of specie payment

White moved to suspend the rules and bring the House to a vote on the amnesty bill introduced by him and from the benefits of which Jefferson Davis is excluded, and also to vote on the amendment striking out that exception

Randall made a point of order that the motion could not be put in that form

The question was then discussed by Garfield Hale of Maine Kasson and Banks against the point made by Randall and by Wood and Randall in support of it

After discussion, the decision of the Speaker was made in these words "In the judgment of the Chair without making any criticism on the form in which the motion is put it is not competent for the Chair to exclude any part of the proposition from the consideration of the House The desire and purpose of the gentleman from Kentucky is to introduce this bill for two purposes first that there shall be a vote on the proposed amendment, and second that there shall be a vote on the bill itself It is suggested that it is not competent for the gentleman to do that under suspension of rules but in reply to that, the Chair will state that the very purpose of the suspension of the rules is to get rid of all rules and let the House run as freely as it pleases The Chair overrules the point of order and holds the motion in order."

White asked unanimous consent to make a statement before the vote should be taken but objection was made by several Democrats.

The House then proceeded to vote on the motion to suspend the rules and the motion was lost, yeas 165, nays 110 Two thirds not voting in the affirmative the rules were not suspended

A large number of Democrats voted with the Republicans in favor of the motion, but the more prominent of them voted against it

Holman moved to suspend the rules and adopt a resolution declaring it unwise and inexpedient at this time that a specific arbitrary period should be prescribed by law at which the legal tender notes of the United States should be paid in coin by the Secretary of the Treasury, and, therefore that the act entitled "an act to provide for the resumption of specie payment" approved January 14 1875, ought to be repealed, and instructing the committee on banking and currency at as early a period as practicable, to report to the House a bill for that purpose The rules were not suspended—yeas 112 nays 158

Cox from the committee on rules, reported back a proposition introduced some weeks since by Holman to amend the rule governing the offering of amendments to general appropriation bills so as to make the rule read "No resolution shall be reported in such general appropriation bill or be in order as an amendment thereto for any expenditure not previously authorized by law, except in continuation of an appropriation for such public works and objects as are already in progress nor shall any provision in any such bill or amendment thereto, changing any existing law be in order except such as being germain to the subject matter of the bill shall retrench expenditure A long discussion ensued on the proposed change which was opposed on the Republican side by Banks Garfield Hale and Kasson, on the plea that it would enable the committee on appropriations to control, practically, all the departments of government, and was defended on the Democratic side by Cox, Holman and Randall, on the plea that it was in the interest of economy that it only placed propositions to reduce expenditures on the same footing as the proposition to increase and that it gave no additional power to the committee on appropriations, inasmuch as its action could be only recommendary In the course of the discussion Randall, having spoken of the desire of the committee on appropriations to push in the way of retrenchment was told by Banks, "We the Republicans, will push you into it, even to the extent of cutting down the salaries of members of Congress To which Randall replied that "We, the Democrats, will come to that at the proper time." The new rule was adopted Yeas, 156, nays 102—nearly a party vote After remarks by Harlingburgh in favor of the bill, the committee rose without action

Morrison offered a resolution calling on the President for copies of all the correspondence with reference to the Island of Cuba, adopted

Wood offered a resolution instructing the committee on ways and means to inquire whether the lease of the United States to the Alaska Commercial Co. of the right to take fur seals in Alaska, was made and executed in pursuance of law, and to the best advantage to the United States; also, whether the interests of the United States had been properly protected and whether the Alaska Commercial Co has complied with its terms and conditions adopted

Wood offered a resolution instructing the committee on military affairs to inquire whether since the close of the rebellion any army officer on the active list has held or exercised the functions of a civil officer either in the diplomatic or consular service, or has carried on any negotiations or arrangements with any foreign government or people or as clerk or secretary of the President or has performed any civil duties in or about the Executive office, and under what authority, and what legislation is necessary to prevent such assignments referred

Hendee introduced a bill for the printing of speeches delivered in Congress in language in which they are delivered referred

New introduced a constitutional amendment to limit the presidential term to four years referred

The House adjourned at 4 30 P M

FLAX CULTURE.

A visitor to Messrs. Parrish & Miller's flax factory situated near Jefferson and contiguous to the railroad, will witness the successful introduction into Oregon another branch of useful industry destined not only to develop the wonderful resources but to add largely to the material wealth and prosperity of our State

This firm deserves great credit as the first to embark in a new and untried enterprise of useful industry, demanding an outlay of so much capital without the prospect of an immediate return, and of so much energy and perseverance necessary to overcome so many barriers unavoidably encountered, in the first introduction of all untried departments of trade and commerce.

It did not escape the keen observation of our *savans* years ago that Oregon, by her congeniality of climate and productiveness of soil was especially adapted to the production of flax seed and the growth of this fiber, excelling even Holland and Great Britain

Indeed your correspondent distinctly remembers years ago, inquiring the feasibility of manufacturing the common and coarser articles made from flax and tow, and of instituting inquiry as to cost and kind of machinery necessary for the work Efforts were soon made by one or two parties at different times and places, but owing to inexperience, or lack of proper machinery, or want of capital or from some other unknown cause, they were not a success The present firm bring all these concomitants to their aid and intend to push the enterprise to a successful issue They have already in operation a ten horse portable steam power for driving their machinery At present they have one brake, five scutchel stands and manufacture about four hundred and fifty pounds of merchantable lint dressed and ready for shipment East

This is but the initial step for the establishment of other industrial branches consequent on the present one Indeed negotiations have been entered into with parties in the Eastern States, to establish a factory for the manufacture of shoe thread, etc In fact the success of this enterprise is but one of the many articles of production and manufacture of export, which will add much to the reputation and prosperity of our commonwealth This is as it should be It points in the right direction Whenever our *exports* exceed our *imports* we are on the highway to national prosperity and affluence These home industries will compensate in some small degree for the heavy importation of machinery from the East and the large patronage by the farmers of every kind of agricultural implement

Jefferson, Jan 15 1876 VINDEX

A[illegible] H[illegible] He was a man of dissolute practices and irregular habits and he lived here He groaned in his sleep and his wife arose to light the lamp He beheld the vast display of striped stockings, and then murmured to himself

"I've got 'em sure this time,

"Got what?" she inquired

"Got the delirium tremens I'm seeing animals of all kinds I've just seen a zebra"

She turned down the light, and the menagerie was closed —*Norwich Bulletin*

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 17—Ophir 64½ Mexican 22 G & C 21¼ B & B 67½, Savage 27½, Chollar 101, H & N 71, Imperial 9¼, Jacket 100, Point 23¼, Empire Mill 5½ Kentuck 13 Alpha 23¼, Belcher 26, Confidence 24, Con Va 483¼, California 95, S Nevada 25½, Bullion, 58 Overman 59 Justice 28¼. Exchequer 14¼ Seg Belcher 91 Succor 21, Union 32, Bryan 3, Julia 15½ Caledonia 28½

EVENING BOARD—Eureka Con 15¼, Jackson 2½ Valley 2¾ R & E 24¼, Alps 3 Belmont 2, Eldorado 5th 1, Adams Hill 1½, Leopard 1⅞ Jefferson 3½, Gila 2¼, Panther 1¼, Belle Isle 1[illegible] Hussey 1¾, Gen Thomas 8¼, Manhattan 10 Mansfield 1¾, Advance 6¼ Coso Con 2¾ New Coso 2, G Charlot 2, Utah 9½ Baltimore 3¾, S Charlot 62½c, Poorman 1[illegible], Knickerbocker 2¼, Globe 1 Dayton 6¼ S Hill 10¼, Challenge 5, R Island 4¼, Prospect 4 S California 3, Morning Star 5, Occidental 3½, Dardanelles 2, New York 1¾, P Sheridan 1½ A Flat 1¾ Alta 4¼, Woodville 2¾, Lady Washington 4 Seg Caledonia 1¾, Kossuth 3½, O G Hill 2¾, Andes 4, Europa 95c, Mides 7¼, Fargo 50c, N Carson 75c, Niagara 50c Leviathan 1 20 Beach & Paxton 5, Amazon 2¼, N Con Va 17, Monumental 1¼.

Greenbacks—88½ buying, 89¼ selling.

Wormser Brothers and the Bank of California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 17—In the U S circuit court, this morning, the case of Wormser Brothers, of New York against the Bank of California came up for argument on the exceptions to the complaint filed by the defendants, who allege, and support the allegations by the affidavits of the trustees, secretary and cashier of the bank, that the bank is not, and never has been, insolvent, and that the manner in which the institution was reorganized and assessment levied was in accordance with the statutes made and provided. The attorneys for the plaintiffs claim that the provision of the code under which the bank was reorganized is unconstitutional and void, and on that they base their argument.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury.

The coroner's jury in the case of Frank H Hubbard who died from the effects of morphine last night, found a verdict to-day that the deceased came to his death from an overdose of morphine but whether or not taken with suicidal intent the jury decline to express an opinion

Statement of Indebtedness Denied.

The statement contained in the published complaint of Burling Bros against the Bank of California, that W. H. L. Barnes owed the bank $157,000 is traversed by the statement of D. O. Mills that Barnes does not owe the bank that or any other amount

Murder.

COPPEROPOLIS, Jan. 17—Adam Shaffer was shot and killed last night at his ranch, about eight miles from this place, at Telegraph City.

Shot Himself.

OAKLAND, Jan 17—Chas. Hayes, bookkeeper of Main & Winchester, San Francisco, shot himself dead this morning, about 8 o'clock, at his residence, on San Pablo avenue

Railroad Meeting.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Jan 17—A railroad meeting was held this afternoon. There was a representation of the land owners of the county Speeches were made advocating speedy action in securing a coast line of railroad connecting with San Francisco and Los Angeles. Resolutions were adopted asking the co-operation of Monterey, Santa Barbara and Ventura counties. A resolution was passed asking the legislative delegation to advocate an act authorizing the county to subscribe $500,000 of 30-year bonds with interest at 7 per cent, to aid the building of the road.

Opposition Line of Steamers.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17—Two gentlemen, representing San Francisco capitalists, are in Los Angeles taking measures for the organization of an opposition line of steamers between San Francisco and Santa Monica

California Legislature.

SACRAMENTO, Jan 17—The Assembly met at 1 30 P M Neither the Speaker nor the Speaker *pro tem* being present, Chief Clerk Ferral called the house to order Judge Archer was elected temporary presiding officer The bill creating the 21st judicial district, to comprise the counties of Modoc Lassen and Plumas, was taken up The bill provides for the appointment of a judge by the Governor until the election in 1877 Upon division the bill was ordered to engrossment, after an amendment, reducing the salary from $5,000 to $4,000 Berry presented a petition from citizens of Marysville and vicinity, asking the Legislature to devise means of relieving them from the debris which comes down from hydraulic mines referred to the committee on mines, Lambourn, from the committee on agriculture, reported back, with a recommendation that it do not pass, Archer's bill, to protect the propagators of fruit McConnell from the committee on education recommended the passage of a bill repealing Finney's compulsory education law.

A Centennial Project.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17—Flood & O'Brien have in contemplation a monster exhibit for the Centennial Exhibition of the entire gold and silver product of the Consolidated Virginia and California mines for the month of May A strong force of men equal to the task of taking out ore sufficient to yield $10,000,000 will be put on, and, by means of arrangements with Sharon and other mills, the ore will be reduced It is rumored that it is the intention of Flood & O'Brien to dispose of it to the government, taking one half in cash and the remaining half in bonds Mr. Flood admits a proposition has been sent to Washington the nature of which he declines to state

The Antioch Distillery Case.

The case of the United States vs the Antioch distillery was again called in the United States district court this evening The agents of the Central Pacific at Antioch and Stockton, the Broadway wharf delivery clerk, and the general freight agent of the Central Pacific, were placed on the stand and examined concerning the amount of the shipments of grain to the distillery and of the shipments from there

Water Rates to be Established.

The Board of Supervisors will be called up on this evening to take action upon the resolution adopted by the San Francisco Senate delegation Jan 14, 1876, asking the Board of Supervisors to establish water rates for the city and county Hon Phil Roach, chairman of the delegation writes to the Mayor and Board, suggesting that the pursuance of such a course will be the speediest method of solving the problem of supplying water at reasonable rates to the inhabitants of San Francisco and will not require the intervention of a commission, nor give rise to any question regarding the delegation of powers The delegation is satisfied that the adoption of a proper schedule by your honorable body would secure legislative action

Meeting of Board of Supervisors.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 17—The board of supervisors passed a resolution requesting the San Francisco legislative delegation to procure the passage of Roach's bill fixing the water rates The communication from the San Francisco delegation recommending the board to fix the rates was referred to the water committee There was considerable debate with reference to the deficiencies in various accounts The street department in particular is as far behind as are the industrial school hospital and other funds. It was resolved to defer action on a bill of street work and endeavor to secure the cooperation of interested property holders in bringing a pressure to bear upon the legislative delegation to secure the passage of a deficiency bill, and so place the city again in funds

The Civil Rights Case.

The colored citizens held another meeting to day and resolved to stand by Green and others, who have brought suit against Thomas Maguire, under the civil rights bill, for denying them admission to the dress circle of the theater, Mr Woods, formerly Governor of Oregon and Utah has been retained by them to assist the U S District Attorney in the prosecution of the case.

Wade's new Opera House, on Mission street, opened this evening to an immense attendance for an opening night. The performance passed off very well.

Arrested for Receiving a Bribe.

Deputy U S Marshal Ackerman, this evening arrested Deputy U S Collector of Internal Revenue Burr, on a charge of receiving a bribe of $500 Further particulars are at present unknown

Suicide.

SANTA BARBARA Jan 17.—A man who has lately been in the employ of the U S steamer *Hassler*, committed suicide on Saturday night by blowing the top of his head off The cause is unknown

Against Subsidy.

The common council of Santa Barbara passed a resolution unanimously against the county subsidy bill of five hundred thousand dollars to the railroad, to be presented to the legislature by a deputation of the railroad committee

Very cloudy Indications of rain.

Railway Opening.

GRASS VALLEY, Jan 17.—The construction train of the Colfax and Nevada Narrow Gauge Railroad reached Grass Valley this afternoon. President Coleman ordered the train to steam into the depot and salute the town which was done by blowing the whistle. The Grass Valleyans responded with ringing of bells, flying the national colors and joyous demonstration from an immense concourse of men, women and children, who had assembled at the depot to witness the advent of the first iron horse

THE TERRITORIES.

Judge Kuykendall, a prominent Cheyennese, started Monday with a party for the Black Hills to found a permanent settlement

Denver sold dry goods in 1875 to the amount of $1,940,300, flour and grain, $1,452,000, groceries, $4,423,000, and live stock to the amount of $1,750,000.

The last Territorial legislature of Colorado is now in session, and will probably have its hands full for the next month and a half Much is to be done in the way of cleaning up old scores, so as to become Statehood with a new deal.

Evanston, on the Union Pacific, is overrun with tramps, and they are suspected of conspiring for the destruction of the town, by incendiarism. Six attempts have been made within a week to burn the town. The people talk of organizing a vigilance committee to hang every suspicious looking idler in the place.

Henry Neikirk, owner of the recently discovered tellurium bonanza in Gold Hill has, says the Central *Register*, disposed of many thousands of dollars worth of ore from his mine. From being a poor prospector, acquainted with hope deferred, he has suddenly jumped to a position of affluence and independence.

A human skull with a bullet-hole in front and a fracture on the side, has been picked up on Bear creek, north of Cheyenne. There were no traces of flesh, and, singular to relate, only the skull of the skeleton remained in sight But near by was found a piece of a vest, in the pocket of which were some letters, the writing being unintelligible. The coroner at Cheyenne will investigate the mystery.

During the year the people of Denver have paid out $107,000 at fairs, festivals, dramatic, musical and all other sorts of entertainments The transfer companies have delivered 40,000 tons of goods of all kinds. The telegraph companies dispatched and received 48,067 private messages, received 1,500,000 words of Associated Press dispatches for the daily papers, and repeated 501,000 words of the same report to the Territorial press. The value of bullion deposited at the mint was $757,259 31. The banks sold during the year Eastern exchange to the amount of $22,850,000. The average amount of deposits has been $2,201,000

A correspondent writing from Centerville, Idaho, to the Owyhee *Avalanche*, says "Mr. Jesse Duvault found a ghost on the road to Hog'em the other night The ghost was that of our old townsman, John Lee, an account of whose death appeared in the *World* some few weeks ago It (the ghost) talked freely shook hands, and was quite sociable, told Jesse where he could find $500 buried by a certain tree in a glass bottle, requested him to dig the same up on the 15th of May, settle some of the little bills left by the departed, amounting to $40 in all, and keep what was left, said it was the ghost of Lee who was lost on the *Pacific*, and in answer to the question, where his body was, it answered "as deep in the Pacific ocean as it will sink without lead" Jesse believes that he is telling the truth, is earnest and unwavering, and never before believed in such things he is the last man in the world we would have thought of as being the author of a ghost story, and what the deuce to make of it nobody seems to know.

LIGHTNING.

Is it not grand? Day after day, "lightning strikes again," sometimes from the treasury building at Washington, and sometimes from the capitol at Albany. In each party there is a vigorous demand for reform, with determined men to give it effect, and from each in turn come the thunderbolts of exposure, disgrace and ruin to strike public plunderers. "Not from one lone cloud," not from some isolated Tilden or Bristow, hated by thieves and almost as much by politicians of his own party, come those lightning strokes There is what Col Joyce was pleased to call "an epidemic of reform" Bristow exposes the whisky ring, Jewell breaks up the ring of fraudulent contractors, the conviction of Joyce and McDonald, and the indictment of Babcock are answered by the removal of Thayer, and that again by the exposure of the Witowski and Sugg Fort frauds the indictment of Butler and Negley and the removal of Broadhead and these by the refusal of Chamberlain to commission the corrupt judges in South Carolina, the war upon the ring in Brooklyn, and the exposure of the whisky ring in Chicago All along the line the fight against corruption goes on bravely A Democratic House, with well organized committees to scrutinize expenditures in the different departments, promises soon to make other exposures

Public opinion is improving The mists of party prejudice are lifting, and men see more clearly, as the Centennial year dawns upon us, that no party deserves support or confidence except as it serves the public good

The new year opens with bright prospects for reform and foul weather for thieves Let us hope that it may witness the triumph of genuine and thorough reform in the Presidential election by the nomination of men who represent the best elements of both parties With two such candidates, each identified with war against corruption the people will have a fair chance to give their votes to that party whose principles and tendencies they prefer sure that either if intrusted with executive power will use it to expose fraud hunt down thieves, and protect the public interest At this moment the Republican party has rather the advantage in the race Bristow is doing a work not surpassed by any other in thoroughness nor equaled in national importance, while Jewell, Pierrepont Chamberlain, and others are making good use of their opportunities Among Democrats Tilden stands almost alone as yet But the session of Congress may show us other Democratic leaders who have power not merely to advocate but to accomplish reforms May there be many of them! Sincerely we hope that their good work in Congress and that of Gov Tilden of Albany, may enable the Democrats to name a candidate thoroughly identified with reform in its best and broadest sense that Republican triumphs in reform may enable that party to name a candidate equally worthy, and that the Centennial year may give us a National contest, in which the country will be safe whatever ticket is elected, and a President who represents all that is best in the country —*N. Y. Tribune*

AN ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE

We find in the Roseburg papers the f ing address to the people of Douglas co issued by authority of the Independent ty central committee, Saturday, Jan 8

We, the undersigned central com having been convened for the purpose o ing into consideration the best means f rying out the object for which the Ind ent party was organized, viz, retrenc in county and State expenditures woul respectfully submit the following fac figures, as resulting directly from the pendent action of the people at the la eral State and county election

First—The vast reduction effected fees of county clerks and sheriffs amo to not less than $2,500 per annum.

Let it well be remembered that a d had been made for years by the peo the exorbitant fees allowed county cler sheriffs should be reduced When wi fected? Not until the people threw o allegiance to the old parties.

We also call your attention to the fa ing to the people of the county in State as follows;

The county of Douglas for the year 18 to the State of Oregon as State tax the $17,871 84, in 1875, under the managem the present board, $13,344 29—an actu ing to the tax-payers upon State taxe of $4,529 55. There was assessed and co from the tax-payers of Douglas county year 1873 the enormous sum of $59 for the year 1875 there were collecte withstanding the levy of 23 mills but 57—an actual retrenchment of $13 notwithstanding the large indebtedn by the outgoing administration amoun $18,500, $15,000 of which is known as torious black mud road swindle To me outstanding warrants, with interest co accruing, necessarily entails a heavy b upon the people for which the last a tration, with aiders and abettors, sh held strictly accountable

We also call your attention to the r ductions made in the various departm State. First, in this connection w your special attention to the vast savi dered by action of the last Legislature veying convicts to the Penitentiary a sane to the Asylum

That a law so manifestly unjust glaringly outrageous as to permit the from the State Treasury, hundreds of per day by sheriffs of the different cou conveying convicts to the Penitentia insane to the Asylum, is indeed s That the State paid for this service ab ing the last two years, the enormous $40,000 is also true

By act of the recent Legislature the c sation fixed for this service is $3 per d actual travelling expenses allowed State. A grand retrenchment of over

We would also call your attentio contract leasing the insane of th Thirty thousand dollars less than eve either by Democratic or Republican tures A reduction of forty thousan in the cost and management of the tiary is certainly a step in the right d The repeal of what was known as th ury Swindle, enacted in 1870, and p to remain in full force and effect, by publican legislature of 1872, and a the salary fixed by the constitution office, viz $800 per annum, is a savin per cent, of all State moneys passing that officer's hands, amounting to th of dollars per year.

We would also mention the repeal enacted in 1870, creating the office of the Supreme Court, which was also p to stand unrepealed by the Legislature to remain drawing from the treasu State, as a salary, $800 per annum, a p of $5, with an unlimited power to dra the incidental fund, as would appear fr warrants drawn in the name of this amounting to $1,979 45, the repeal law, insignificant as it may appear is to the State of but little less than tw and dollars per annum

While we deem it unnecessary othe tions effected by action of the la might be shown, for instance in State rents, etc Enough has be sented to warrant, in the estima committee, the continuance of th ent party.

We are not likely to forget howe the great responsibility of our cou issues which will shortly absorb tion is much enhanced by the la people were among the first to re magnitude of those wrongs wh long been suffered by the peop State, and to demand a formal re them by their Representatives of your example and action limited to the jurisdiction of yo but in an important degree p aspect It is, then, for you fello determine whether the objects f Independent party was organized be carried out through other politica zations

Your committee are united in the that thorough retrenchment in every ment of county and State is the jeet which any political party ca should be made imperative by the pe

Signed—L Howe H Conn Sr N J. G. Flook, N Webb, B Herman Adams, proxy), I C Kent committee

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TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 18 1876

THE MATTER OF SALARIES

A proposition has been made in the House of Representatives to cut down the salaries except those of army and navy officers which exceed the sum of $1,500, twenty per cent and to reduce the salary of the President to $25,000 This sweeping and indiscriminating measure is unwise, and in many cases, if it should become a law, it will be exceedingly unjust It is possible that some officials receive a far greater emolument than their services entitle them to. These should be reduced But there are thousands of honest and capable men in official position whose salaries are scarcely sufficient to support them, and whose services are worth very much more than the amount of the salaries paid for them If this proposition to reduce all salaries over $1,500 twenty per cent become law department and other clerks in Washington and elsewhere, who now receive $1 600, $1,800 and $2 000 per annum, would receive $1,280, $1,440 and $1,600, respectively sums which are scarcely sufficient to pay their board and lodging bills, and which are far less than are paid by merchants and other business men to their clerks The effect of such a reduction will be to drive out of the public service capable and honest men, who will seek adequate wages elsewhere and leave their places to be filled by incompetent persons, whom no business man would employ, or by dishonest men, who will steal from the government

With respect to the salary of the President, it ought to be cut down to the old standard of $25,000 per year; or what would be far better, the office should be denuded of the corrupting and degraded system of perquisites which are attached to it. These perquisites are a temptation and an opportunity inside the executive mansion, and a standing indecency in the eyes of the world outside The income of the Presidential office, it has been stated by those who have taken the pains to go through the subject of perquisites and commutations in detail, foot up at the present time about $60,000 per annum Of this sum $30 000—more than the old salary—is in the form of commutations and perquisites charges for servants and fuel and carriages and horses and a hundred other things, for which the President is not personally responsible, but which are furnished him by the government All this should have an end. And then if the $25,000 is not a sufficient amount to enable him to maintain the dignity and respectability that ought to be maintained in the Presidential establishment let the salary be increased The President should be the first gentleman of the nation but he should not be a monarch, his residence should not be a royal palace, nor his establishment a court

Mr Burke, in his great speech in the British Parliament on Economical Reform, urged the justice and policy of graduating the compensation for official services according to the service performed in each case If that is a good rule for a monarchy, it is certainly a good rule for a republic Indeed, such a reform is greatly needed in this country Some officers whose functions are such as require the exercise of no considerable amount of labor are paid as high salaries as others whose duties require unremitting industry and the highest order of abilities The judges of the courts bringing to their duties such learning and industry as would shed lustre upon the judicial department of any nation and pressed with work at all times are paid less than many of the merely administrative officers This is wrong It is a disgrace to the Republic But it will not be the less a wrong when an indiscriminate plan of scaling is adopted, by which those that are paid too much are scaled down to what is reasonable, and those who are put off with half pay are brought down to much less than half pay If the Congress of the United States would but go to work on this matter, with an honest purpose to do what ought to be done and in order to that end would devote themselves to a diligent examination of the subject in its details, they would acquit themselves much more creditably than by any such general scaling down of every body but themselves, as is now proposed

GOV DIX ON THE SITUATION

Ex-Gov Dix, of New York is one of those men to whom the whole nation is glad to listen whenever he speaks upon any matter of national concern He is qualified not only by general study of our institutions, but by experience in the administration of the system of government under which they have grown up, to speak "as one having authority" He has filled, at one time and another during his long public career nearly all the higher offices in State and national governments He has been a cabinet officer a United States Senator a Major General in the army, a governor of the great State of New York With so wide a range of experience and personal observation, and with distinguished ability and culture he is prepared to discuss the social and political questions of the hour, from as wide a range of vision as any other man in the country Our readers will therefore be interested in some remarks made by him in the course of an address lately delivered, in which he discussed at some length the evils in our civil service He says the chief evil of our political organization is "the distribution of offices as rewards to political service instead of with a view to the most efficient performance of their duties. He fully recognized the wide spread influence of this vicious practice which he well says is utterly foreign to the theory of our Government and is to the administration of its business corrupting to its officers and injurious to the liberties and the interests of the public The remedy he proposes is to extend the President's term of office to six years, and bring him to "a constrained disinterestedness by making him ineligible to the office for a second term, and allowing all subordinate administrative officers of [illegible] during good behavior [illegible]

less to say is the leading Republican paper in the United States refers to these propositions with only a qualified approbation, remarking that they "do not go to the root of our difficulties" which the *Times* says is "the intense and overmastering selfishness of pure partisanship." The *Times* in our judgment strikes at the root of all the trouble The extending of the term of the Presidency to six years, or even longer, with ineligibility to re-election, would be highly promotive of purity in government and this would be strongly supported by adding to the security of the tenure by which subordinates hold their offices But before any radical cure can be effected, of the disease that is preying on the vitals of the nation, there must be a radical and thorough regeneration of the sentiments of the people with reference to party organizations There must be a complete eradication of "the intense and overmastering selfishness of pure partisanship," and the erection in place thereof, in the opinions and sentiments of a standard of patriotism which places the purity and efficacy of the public service above all party considerations

Sir Henry Halford who is, we presume chairman of the English Rifle Association has written to Judge Gildersleeve that it will not be possible for an English Irish and Scotch rifle team to come to America to compete for Centennial honors He said the association desired to send a mixed team composed of course of the best men out of each of the three teams The hope of the Englishmen no doubt was that in this way they could send a stronger team than in any other way Judge Gildersleeve immediately replied to Sir Henry that he might send any kind of a team The Judge has no dread of a mixed team He probably knows exactly how well the English riflemen can shoot, as he helped to beat them in England last year and as he will do in America this year

Much has been said about Mr Morrison's taciturnity but his opponents have made somewhat of a mistake in doing so, for it appears that he is silent not because he has nothing to say or does not possess the faculty of clothing wise thoughts in ornate language but because he is physically unable to do so on account of a bullet hole through his lungs received at Fort Donelson The people will forgive him for not making speeches if he and Mr Bristow in maturing measures for bringing back the country to hard money payments Indeed the events of the past week incline us to wish that some others, besides Mr Morrison had bullet holes through their lungs or something else that would inhibit speech

The effort of Senator West to recover the amount of bonds issued by the United States to the Central and Union Pacific railway companies in excess of the amount authorized by law does not seem to proceed from an altogether unselfish motive Mr West is a friend to and a promoter of the Southern Pacific railway, and his effort to make the Union and Central Pacific companies disgorge seems to be with a view of obtaining the money for the Southern Pacific company To a question by Morrill whether the money sought to be obtained back from these companies was not intended to be given to the Southern Pacific company Mr West made an evasive reply

A resolution has been offered in Congress to ask the President to prepare a treaty with Great Britain for the establishment of a common unit of account, and that the dollar be that unit The want of a common unit both of money and of weights and measures has long been felt and several attempts have been heretofore made to establish one but without success The decimal system in money and the metric system in weights and measures seem to be at once the simplest and most scientific and it is to be hoped therefore that the object aimed at in the resolution will be speedily attained

Brigham Young according to a Canadian editor, displays in his personal appearance "an overwhelming vanity and a desire to appear young In Brigham Young the lowest type of humanity is depicted in his gorilla like projecting lower jaw avarice in his pinched mouth harshness and ungodliness in every lineament of his revolting face and yet many Mormon women say 'What a beautiful and benevolent face he has,' It is among the worst faces ever seen.

Messrs Flood & O Brien, the great California capitalists and mine owners, are said to be preparing to astonish the foreigners They intend to arrange the working of their mines so that their gold and silver product for the month of May next shall be not less than $10 000,000 And they intend to make an exhibit of the operations and yield of the mines for that month for publication at the opening of the Centennial.

It is reported from Washington that many of the members of Congress have been compelled to draw their December pay before it was due in order to get money to spend during the holidays There was a time when Congressmen had money thrust into their pockets by men who had axes to grind but it seems that time has passed It is to be hoped that it will never return

It is announced that Colonel George S. Bangs, superintendent of the railway mail service will resign his office on the 1st of January to accept a lucrative private position

E W, Cornell and S W Rice both of Multnomah county have recently been appointed notaries public

MARRIED.

Near Baker City Jan 2 B F Tiry and Miss Nancy F Creighbaum

In Baker City Jan 4 R Stewart and Miss Ella Lennox

In Jacksonville Dec 30 Eugene Walrond and Miss L L Smith

In Jacksonville Jan 2 H T Severance and Miss M A Nichols

In Josephine county Dec 27 James B White and Miss Lucinda Tyeer

DIED.

In this city Jan 17 of typhoid fever Charles A Walling eldest son of A G and Sarah A Walling, aged 16 years

Funeral will take place from the residence of the parents corner Front and Montgomery streets at 1 o'clock to day Friends of the family are invited to attend

In Milton Jan 11 Fanny wife of J Delay aged [illegible] years

At [illegible] Jan [illegible] Mrs B F [illegible] wife of Henry B [illegible] a native of [illegible] aged [illegible] years

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1 Elegant Oak Chamber Set, complete.

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ja18law3Tu Clerk of said Court

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J KRAEMER & CO

Portland Ogn Jan 1 1876

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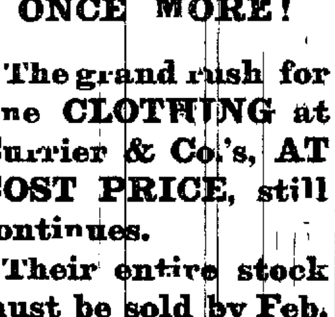

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W S PLUMMER, Patentee

ja26d&wtf Portland, Oregon

FRUIT DRYER TESTIMONIAL.

EAST PORTLAND, Jan 4th 1876

MR. W. S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* As this is a time when all are much interested in Fruit Drying, we think that in justice to you and for the information of the public it is but right and proper that we should give all the information that we can Now after having operated your Dryer during this season we feel warranted in saying that for the amount of money invested we still believe as we did from the start that *your* Dryer is the best Dryer yet introduced into this country The capacity of the Dryer we find to be about 8 (eight) bushels per hour. The Dried fruit we claim to be as good as any, though perhaps not as much bleached as the "Alden" Fruit and we are satisfied that we can produce Dried Fruit at less expense than the "Alden." The stockholders of our Company manifested their confidence in the Plummer Dryer at our meeting last Saturday by a unanimous vote to increase the capital stock $12,000 (twelve thousand dollars) for the purpose of adding one more Dryer to the present one and making other improvements for next season We will further say that we believe that by an improvement made by the patentee in the Heater and Fan that there will be an increase of capacity and a saving of Fuel

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 18 1876

CITY.

CASE OF SUPPOSED SUICIDE —Saturday evening about 9 o clock a strange man came on board the steamer *Bonita*, which was lying at the O S N Co s dock and inquired of the watchman if a woman and man and two small children had gone down that (Saturday) morning to Kalama To his somewhat eager inquiry, the watchman replied that a woman having two small children, accompanied by a man, were among the passengers who left Portland Saturday morning bound for Kalama When the individual heard that he tossed his head up with an air of impatience and exclaimed in a petulant tone of voice —"Pshaw!" Without uttering a word he quietly walked toward the rear part of the steamer There was a troubled anxious expression on the man s face, and his conduct seemed a little unusual Still the watchman did not imagine anything was particularly wrong about the stranger Several of the deck hands were standing near the watchman when the man came on board and heard his question and saw him walk away No one present attached any special significance to the inquiry the exclamation of chagrin or the man s action in walking toward the stern of the steamer Two carpenters were engaged at the time in making some repairs to the wheel of the *Bonita* A moment after the stranger left the watchman and the deck hands the carpenters heard a loud splash a short distance forward of where they were working Supposing it was a log, or some other object thrown overboard the carpenters continued their work Presently the watchman went aft to see what had become of the man He failed to find him, and on asking the carpenters, was told about the splash No traces of the stranger could be discovered, and the only conclusion was that he had either fallen or jumped into the river and perished He made no noise at all and did not call for assistance. This fact taken in connection with his previous conduct, leaves little doubt but what he purposely destroyed himself It is thought that the woman for whom he enquired, was his wife and that through some domestic trouble she had deserted him and wearied and disgusted with life, he sought the oblivion of a watery grave Nothing whatever is known of the man —who he is, or where he came from It is certainly a remarkable case.

RESCUED FROM DEATH —The Alaska *Herald* of the 5th says "While the *California* was at Wrangel, a man named Travers brought a squaw in a canoe alongside and aboard He then started to return to the shore with his canoe, in which he had another squaw But tide and wind were against him, and instead of making land he drifted farther from it When the people on board of the steamer became aware of this fact, the canoe was some nine miles from shore. Captain John Hayes at once called on his passengers, among whom were forty miners, to help heave the anchor All worked with a will and in a very few minutes the vessel was under way to rescue the man and squaw When the steamer caught up with the canoe, Travers was already incapable of motion, both his hands being badly frozen The garments of the squaw were a mere mass of ice. Both were hoisted on board The squaw has not suffered any ill effects but Travers is liable to lose both hands They were brought on to Sitka where the surgeon, Dr Fitzgerald, attended the unfortunate man at once. Great praise is due Captain Hayes for his prompt assistance

GROUND AND LOFTY TUMBLING —A young man, whom we will call Shaw for brevity sake, concluded to interview his girl on Sunday evening, and accordingly prepared himself in elaborate style for the occasion As he approached the residence of the damsel —on Fourth street we will mention for the sake of giving it a location—it struck him forcibly that the back parlor was inhabited not only by the fair one, but another He would investigate further and in his anxiety to learn with certainty, he drew close to the window and as he was about to peer within he imagined some one was doing the same inside. Rather than take the chances of being observed our hero withdrew and as quick as a flash darted towards the front gate Instead of passing through the gate, as any sane person would do, he leaped the high picket fence —his progress being still further accelerated by a dog at his heels—and came out headlong into the muddy street, He related his mishap to a friend, and that is how it came to be published Our hero proposes to take no chances in future, but enter at all hazards.

MORE MATERIAL FOR THE CENTENNIAL —Yesterday we were shown a beautiful specimen of timber that is to be placed on exhibition at the centennial, which the commissioner is having polished and prepared at a furniture manufacturing establishment in this city, to represent our State. The specimen consists of a transverse section of the *Acer Menziesii* an evergreen, commonly called laurel, and out of a tree about forty two inches in diameter The grain is beautifully variegated and so fine and close that when polished we doubt very much if it will be surpassed for beauty by any timber in the world Mr Dufur also received specimen cards of wool from all the different grades grown in this State These wools are prepared and arranged in the most careful manner and when placed on exhibition will do honor not only to our State, but to the entire wool growing interest of the nation We understand that the State Centennial Board will meet in this city on the 27th inst to examine the material and provide for sending it forward to the exhibition

CASE ON TRIAL —Yesterday afternoon at 1 30 o clock the preliminary hearing in the case of the State vs Thos Shields, John Nicholson and Frederick Payne commenced and occupied the attention of the court the entire afternoon. These parties, it will be recollected, are accused of the crime of arson in attempting to destroy the school house which stands in district No. 8 They were arrested last week, since which time two of them—Nicholson and Payne—have been in custody, A number of witnesses were examined during the afternoon, but the evidence not being concluded at the hour of adjournment, the case was continued until this morning J M Gearin, Esq is conducting the defense and the State is represented by Mr Chas A Ball

SAD AFFLICTION —Charles A Walling the eldest son of Mr A G Walling died at his home in this city yesterday morning, after a brief illness Deceased was in his sixteenth year He was a bright, intelligent boy of manly frank disposition and possessed of many commendable qualities of heart and mind Charley was highly esteemed by all those with whom he associated; liked for pleasant, congenial ways and respected for his industrious habits. All who knew him will be pained to learn that he has passed away, while his death brings a pang of inconsolable anguish to the fond and doting hearts of father, mother sisters and brothers

LECTURE AT Y M C A TO-NIGHT Gen Howard is anxious that our readers be reminded of Dr Watkins lecture to night and that they remember the several songs which have been promised them in connection therewith As this is the first lecture of the season the general as chairman of the lecture committee, is hoping to see a full house both for the sake of the exercises of the season and for the sake of the association

SOCIABLE —To-morrow (Wednesday) evening, a sociable will be given at the Unitarian church, under the auspices of the ladies belonging to the congregation During the evening some pleasant exercises will be given including recitations music etc All who attend this sociable may anticipate a pleasant time Through mistake the sociable was announced for ... instead of to-morrow evening

FESTIVAL The ladies of the Presbyterian church are getting up a festival which will take place in the basement of the church on Friday evening next for the ... of the public ... their friends ... the last one was ... all the more enjoyable

REQUESTED ... Members of the scholars of the Congregational Sabbath school as can do so will please meet at the house of Mr A G Walling corner of First and Montgomery streets to attend the funeral of their beloved schoolmate Master Charles Walling, services commence at 1 o'clock

COUNTY ROADS—SPECIAL ORDER —Next Saturday an adjourned session of the county court will be held when the attention of that body will be occupied in road matters The special order of business for that day will be the consideration of matters pertaining to the various roads in the county, and the appointment of supervisors for each road district All persons who have any interest in the various thoroughfares of the county are requested to be in attendance and make the necessary representations

REPORTED DEAD It was reported late last evening that Mr James H Newman who it will be remembered, met with a very heavy fall on the night of Dec 24 died at St Vincent's Hospital Newman has been paralyzed since the fall and rendered completely helpless. His life has long been despaired of and if the report be true, death did not come unexpectedly

OFFICERS ELECTED At a meeting of the directors of the Willamet Iron Works held yesterday, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year R R Thompson president Peter Taylor vice president, P Fittbogen secretary and Jas Lotan superintendent,—the two latter named gentlemen being continued in the positions named

WEATHER REPORT —From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland Oregon January 17 1876

	7 A. M.	2 P M.	9 P M
Thermometer	41°	46°	4[illegible]
Wind direction	S	N W	W
Wind velocity	2	4	
Weather	Fair	Cloudy	Lt Rain

BRIEF NOTES.

No new vessels are reported in at Astoria

A large raft of logs was towed up yesterday

Still going slowly forward the work of repairing the steamer *Ajax*

The Lecticonian Social Club will give their fourth party to morrow evening at Good Templar Hall

Mr R R Riley the well known wood dealer is lying at his home quite low with the typhoid fever

Nothing has been seen or heard of the ship *Prince Umberto* which has been reported in a disabled condition

It is reported that W C Breen ex chief engineer, P F D has made over $25 000 dealing in San Francisco mining stocks

Capt Tom Mountain has caused a high plank fence to be built around the armory building of the Portland Light Battery

Owing to some obstructions on the westside track near the big cut the regular train did not reach here yesterday until nearly 1 o clock

This being leap-year no lady is bound to accept an offer of marriage from an old suitor if she has reason to think she can do better by some new and wealthier acquaintance

It is thought the sailor Francis Gallagin, belonging to the ship *Carisbrooke Castle*, who has been very ill from the effects of a heavy fall, will recover The attending physician thinks he is past danger

It is said that wedding tours are out of fashion, which is evidently the result of a female conspiracy to facilitate matrimonial affairs during leap year How sorry those chaps must be who married last year poor fellows

The busy minds of the poultry which have been harassed with an ever-present feeling of the uncertainty of existence since the last Thanksgiving proclamation may now be turned to the more profitable occupation of hunting up nests and laying up a stock of eggs for Easter and other purposes

THE OREGON MEDICAL COLLEGE

The following physicians met at the office of Dr Wilson at 1 o clock yesterday Drs. Wilson, Glisan, Watkins, Strong, Cardwell Kinney Rex and Carpenter.

On motion, Dr Carpenter was chosen temporary chairman and Dr Curtis C Strong, temporary secretary

It was resolved to organize a Medical Faculty which is to be known as the Oregon Medical College to be established in Portland

The following chairs were organized and filled as below

Theory and Practice of Medicine with Medical Clinics—R Glisan, M. D.

Obstetrics Disease of Women and Children with Clinical Midwifery—R B Wilson, M D

Principles and Practice of Surgery with Surgical Clinics—H Carpenter, M D

Description and Surgical Anatomy with Surgical Clinics—Alfred C Kinney M D

Materia Medica—Curtis C Strong M D

Chemistry and Toxicology—R G Rex M D

Physiology and Microscopy—Wm B Cardwell, M D

Otology and Ophthalmology with Clinics and the Eye and Ear W H Watkins M D

Science of Hygene—W. H Watkins (acting M D

Disease of the mind with Medical Clinics—F A Bailey M D

Medical Jurisprudence—Hon Matthew P Deady

On motion, Dr Carpenter was elected Dean and R G Rex Secretary.

Hon M. P Deady, Drs Carpenter and Bailey were appointed a committee to meet the board of directors of the State University, in order to try and get the college incorporated in that body

On motion the meeting adjourned

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Samuel Furgison—drunk and disorderly—was fined $5 which was paid and he released from durance vile.

The case of Wm Dougherty accused of being drunk and disorderly, was dismissed and the defendant discharged

John Dorsey, for assault and battery committed on the person of Thos Huntington was fined $25 Defendant paid and was discharged

Celia Levy who keeps a "way up" ... on First street, was arraigned on a charge of keeping a bawdy house She was held to answer the charge before the grand jury The required bonds were furnished and the defendant released

THE COURTS

U S CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY J

Monday Jan 17 1876

Marcus Neff vs Sylvester Pennoyer order that defendant have leave to amend answer by striking out word "plaintiff" and insert word defendant in line — page — of said answer in allegation as to taxes The following jurors were empaneled W. B Brainard Francis Taggart T B Nelson J P Fort Emmet Olds Edward Deveney J D Becker F J Wilcox John Dolan F W Gillette John J Hartman, Albert Odell

L M Parrish Benj Heater A N King W H Adair O Risley petit jurors discharged for the term

MILITARY NOTES.

Post Chaplain Gammell having reported in compliance with paragraph 6 special orders No 240 series of 1875 from the Adjutant General s office is assigned to duty in Alaska Territory with station at Sitka Alaska to which post he will repair by the first steamer and report to the commanding officer

Upon the recommendation of the medical director it appearing that he is suffering from a fistula ... which disables him from performing active labor for his support Joseph Bessard recently discharged ... Co ... 21st Infantry will be temporarily admitted to the post hospital at Fort Vancouver for medical treatment

BUSINESS NOTICES

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We can recommend those White and Wilson Sewing Machines for we have seen them tested No wonder they take the first premiums at every place they have been exhibited

PERSONAL.

Ex Governor Ballard of Idaho ... who have been stopping at the St Charles several days ... for the ... Governor ... is quite ill

INSUFFICIENCY OF THE COLUMBIA BAR PILOTAGE.

The following is a copy of a letter addressed to the Board of Trade of this city, by Captain Parnell, master of the British ship *Beechwood*

SHIP BEECHWOOD, PORTLAND OREGON,
20th December 1875

Gentlemen of the Board of Trade —I beg to bring before your notice the following statements, which will be confirmed on your examining my ship s log book

I sailed from San Francisco for this port with every confidence that there were at all times pilots stationed on or near the Columbia river bar so that I could not possibly get into danger nor meet with any unreasonable detention off that bar

I am sorry to have an occasion to complain but through the want of a proper arrangement by your State authorities of pilots on or near the bar I have been brought into great danger of losing my ship and have only escaped with considerable loss of time and heavy expense to my owners I have been four times upon and off the bar waiting for pilots during a period of fifteen days, as follows

1st I arrived off the bar on 28th November at 4 A. M Cape Disappointment light bore north Point Adams light north east by north At 6 A M I stood close in on the bar, but no pilots to be seen At 9 A M Cape Disappointment bearing east by north my ship was in shoal water and afterwards as there was every appearance of a gale coming on, I turned my ship's head off and did not deepen the water to 28 fathoms until 4 in the afternoon when the gale increased as to reduce the ship s sail to a lower main topsail, and we afterwards drifted in this gale 165 miles L N I from the bar.

Second attempt was on 4th December when I was again on the bar a tugboat was just inside the bar and had put a pilot on board the ship *British Statesman* but it did not come near my vessel, and steamed away up the harbor and left my vessel to her fate The wind was then west and it was clear fine weather Afterwards in a norther gale we drove away to the north about 60 miles

Third time, Saturday 11th December, at 2 P M ship again on the bar where the buoy is that is painted with white stripes weather was fine and clear no pilot boats could be seen nearly calm We afterwards again drifted out to sea

4th Next day (Sunday), at 7 A M when Cape Disappointment N E 4 leagues, increasing gale, with thick showers of rain At midnight Tillamook rock N E by N, 1 mile thick fog At 4 A M on Monday 13th ran again for the bar, and when from five to six miles from the above named buoy a tug came alongside without a pilot but saying they would take my vessel into Astoria that it would cost me $100—$100 for pilotage and another $100 for towage—which offer I gladly accepted Weather was then fine and clear with a smooth sea.

REMARKS—I have never experienced such gross negligence on the part of pilots anywhere, and the imposition so fearful If a pilot had been put on board of my vessel on the 4th of December I should easily have sailed in and required no tug I do believe there are really no pilots on the bar *at any time* and I also believe that my ship was neglected because towing was not necessary at the time I make these assertions as no pilot has ever yet been on board of my vessel except the river pilot to Portland.

As to your book which was kindly given me at San Francisco entitled Information for the Guidance of Foreign vessels it would be a great kindness to ship masters and owners of vessels to recall, forthwith that part respecting pilots and which says pilots are appointed for the bar and are in attendance with tugs their charges etc. Your obed t servant

WM S PARNELL Master

The book to which Capt Parnell refers was one issued by the Board of Trade 5 000 copies of which were circulated abroad to encourage foreign shipping to come to Oregon. It contains a vast deal of nautical information as to the bar, the Columbia and Willamet rivers up to Portland, wharfs, etc and makes short mention of the tugs but in reference to the pilotage and towage on the bar the book says nothing more than simply to cite (word for word) the laws of Oregon, as copied for the General Code of 1871 on pages 707 708 and 709 Further, in order to prevent even the possibility of error or of inducing vessels to come to Oregon through misstatements or on false pretenses the secretary was, by instructions of the board, ordered to write Captain Flavel intimating that such book was to be issued and circulated abroad by the board and asking him, therefore to state answers to certain questions Captain Flavel s reply was printed entire where we find it in the little book referred to under the head of "Pilots' Regulations" as follows

First—What we deem speaking a vessel at sea outside the bar, is running within hailing distance and asking if she wants a pilot

Second The tug considers five miles outside the bar the distance to tow and pilot a vessel without other charge than that prescribed by law

Third—If the tug goes any greater distance than five miles and not exceeding twenty she makes no extra charge for putting a pilot on board But if the captain requires the services of the tug after putting a pilot on board she then charges extra towage, according to the distance exceeding five miles and the state of the weather

Fourth—There are four pilots attached to the steam tug *Astoria*

Fifth—At any time the tug *Astoria* requires any repairs through accident or otherwise the steam tug *Brenham* will take her place on the bar and pilot grounds without extra charge to the shipping

(Signed) GEO FLAVEL

It was stated at the Board of Trade meeting on Wednesday last that instead of Captain Flavel adhering to these his own statements of charges forwarded by him to the Board of Trade in the knowledge that they were asked "for the information and guidance of foreign vessels coming to Oregon" he has not only disregarded his own written statements but the British Vice Consul at this meeting stated that the master of *every* British vessel *well nigh complete* had officially notified him that Captain Flavel had compelled each of them to pay—both going towards and outwards—much higher fees for pilotage and towage than those prescribed by law In many cases (for instance the ship *Beechwood* above narrated—*double* the regular legal rates It is true as stated by Captain Parnell of the *Beechwood* that he was charged $100 for pilotage *alone* (in addition to $100 for towage—and no bar pilot was ever on board his vessel he certainly is entitled in law to repayment of this sum

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CIRCULAR LETTER.

Gen Howard, under date of Jan 8th has issued the following circular letter

"For the information of persons who may have settled upon the islands in the Haro archipelago, whose claims or residences are embraced within the limits of the several government reservations described in General Orders No 31 of Dec 31 1875 from these headquarters it is announced that settlement upon public lands of the United States, no matter how long continued confers no rights as against the government The title to the lands is still in the United States and the government can make use of it for any purpose it sees fit

It is further announced under instructions from the War Department, that it is not intended to immediately remove the squatters residing upon those reservations Jan 1 1878 is the date fixed within which period they may remove voluntarily and when they remove they will also be permitted to remove the buildings, etc belonging to them and now erected Any improvements they may make subsequent to this date will belong to the United States Hereafter no squatters or citizens will be permitted to enter and reside upon these reservations

Department commanders will exercise a general supervision of all military reservations within the limits of their commands and will use force to remove squatters or trespassers when, in their judgment it becomes necessary" (G O No 74 headquarters of the army, Nov 2, 1869.)

OREGON

Chas Lewellyn was held to answer a charge of rape at Jacksonville last week

There are 82 170 hogs in Oregon with Columbia, Grant Union and Washington counties to hear from

The mail service on the route from Gardner has been increased to semi weekly, to date from January 10th

The Baker City *Democrat* of the 12th says "The snow at Mormon Basin is about eighteen inches deep, at Rye Valley, in the valley it is about seven inches deep on the road to Canyon City above Auburn it is about three feet in our valley it is from one to three inches deep on Burnt river there is no snow but instead there is mud"

George Samuels, residing near Democrat gulch, Josephine county, disappeared over a year ago soon after his return from the Grand Lodge of Masons to which he was a delegate Foul play was suspicioned in the premises but nothing could be found of him. Samuels was possessed of some means and his remains are supposed by some to be deposited in that vicinity

The county of Lake has put in claims against Jackson county for the taxes collected by the sheriff in 1874 of citizens of that portion of Jackson county now called Lake but then belonging to the former Also to be reimbursed for the costs and expenses incurred in the case of the Brown brothers claiming that their trial there was only a change of venue from Jackson county

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Pranks of a Disordered Liver
A disordered liver plays sad pranks with the digestive organs the bowels the kidneys and the blood and inflicts an infinite variety of unpleasant symptoms upon its unfortunate possessor among which may be mentioned yellowness of the skin and whites of the eyes furred tongue nausea head ache vertigo pain in the head side and stomach drowsiness by day and unrest by night difficult evacuation and even irritation of the bladder and urethra Hostetter s Stomach Bitters discipline the rebellious organ and obviate bilious manifestations more rapidly and certainly than anything else and are far more agreeable and infinitely which ... than the violent evacuants with which the ... of ... their unfortunate bowels ... under the mistaken impression that they are regulating their livers

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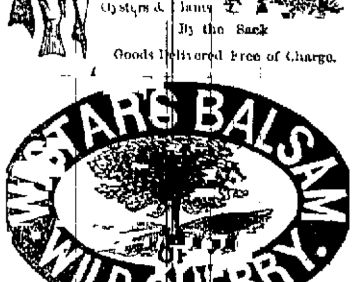
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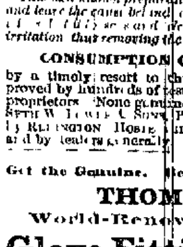

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By [illegible] silent plains and still beyond
Where [illegible] the rapid seething Genesee
In years agone there dwelt a pretty blonde
Who [illegible] in all her loving strength to me
And [illegible] was so princely pearly fair
But [illegible] wealth of love and majesty of mien!
Such a storm of tossing golden yellow hair!
The day was named and she became my queen

The mellow bells rang out when we were wed
The earth grew golden in the light of love
It seemed as if our souls were being fed
On sweetest nectar of the gods above
[illegible] an hour bound in golden shrine,
Apart from all the rest reserved for me
[illegible] a loving hand was placed in mine
[illegible] for ill forever mine to be

The [illegible] flowers abloom in life's bouquet
And those that fringe the path of early youth
The fondest hopes not destined to decay
Are born of holy love's unyielding truth.
Life is not all a sweet, sweet holiday,
Whilst needs must come and grief befall us,
But happy he who finds his sweetest May
[illegible] wedlock born of wedding chimes

[illegible] love I left and wandered far-west
To where the [illegible] sun weds the peaceful sea
At night tide, and lies down in stately rest
[illegible] forth stars to shine for you and me.
And long I labored where the rivers rolled
In fretful torrents to the insatiate sea,
And as I gathered age I gathered gold
And thought I hoarded it for her and me

With heaps of gold I threaded back again
Beyond the silent plains and still beyond
And found my early home, but sought in vain
For her my baby bride and beauteous blonde
For she was dead, and I was left alone,
A wounded life in bitterness to plead,
And should you hear my mournful midnight moan
Please, pity me, for I am poor indeed.

Earth has no charms for one that has no home
Gold is weighty, but it cannot yield
A joy to one whom fate has doomed to roam
A weary wanderer across a barren field
So poor am I with all my gathered gold
I'm standing here upon this nether shore—
A wounded life, lone lingering in the cold
Waiting for the boat to bear me o'er

SAN JOSE, Nov., 1875.

IMPROVED PRINTING MACHINERY.

[Philadelphia Times]

The improvement in printing machinery has been in fact one of the most remarkable features of the century and it is all the more noteworthy at this time from the fact that the glory of it belongs peculiarly to America. The newspapers of the last century and of the earlier part of this, were printed by laying a sheet of paper upon the inked surface of the type, made up in a flat form and pressing it down by means of a screw turned by hand a slow and laborious process. The first improvement was the substitution of a roller for the pressure of the screw and this principle is still preserved in many of the presses now in use, where the paper passes over a large cylinder, and thus comes in contact with the type upon the bed of the press. But the invention of the rotary press, which has made the name of Hoe forever famous, was more than an improvement—it was a revolution. In this the type is made up in slightly curved forms, which are fitted on the surface of a large revolving cylinder. Smaller cylinders, two, four, six, or eight in number, revolve in contact with this around its circumference, and the sheets of paper, fed in, one by one, are thus passed over the surface of the type and receive the impression. Until a very few years ago the eight-cylinder press was regarded both in this country and abroad, as the highest possible development of fast printing machinery, and yet the press which Messrs. Hoe & Co. have lately finished for the *Times* is as great an improvement on this as the rotary press was upon the old hand-press. It literally prints papers by the mile, and with such rapidity that a single machine, occupying less than half the space of the most improved cylinder press, will do the same work in less than half the time, and with almost no assistance, whereas the cylinder press requires a small army of men and boys to attend upon it.

This great development in printing machinery would not have been possible without a corresponding improvement in the process of stereotyping. If the reader could see how multifarious are the processes employed in the printing of a daily newspaper and yet with what alacrity they are all performed he would be astonished. After the types are set and made up in the forms an impression of each page is taken in *papier mache* this after being thoroughly dried in a steam press is placed in an iron mould, molten type metal poured in and immediately a perfect cast is turned out, with a surface precisely the same as the surface of the type, but in the form of a half cylinder. A steam lathe quickly trims the edges and planes the inner surface of the plate, and when two copies of each page have been made in this way, the forms being made up one by one so that no time is lost beyond the twenty minutes or so required to cast the first page which is the last sent down they are placed in position on the press. This beautiful piece of machinery it is difficult to describe to those who are not familiar with such things but we shall attempt to do it briefly.

The paper is printed from a roll each one being about two feet and a half in diameter, and containing a length of over four miles and a half, equal to ten thousand papers. The machine consists principally of three pairs of cylinders geared together and also to each other. A roll, having been previously dampened, is lifted into place by a small crane and the paper from it passes between the first pair of cylinders, the circumference of each of which are just equal to the required length of the sheet. One of these sheets has its periphery covered with stereotype plates of the matter to be printed, and is supplied in the usual manner with an ink fountain, distributing and composition rollers, which, as the cylinder revolves, apply the ink to the stereotype form. The other cylinder is covered with blanket and as they revolve together with the paper between them they print its first side of course repeating the operation at each revolution. The paper then passes on between the second pair of cylinders one of which carries the stereotype plates of the second side and has its inking apparatus as in the first instance but is so placed that the unprinted side of the paper will come in contact with it. Its fellow is three times its size and is covered with three sets of blankets, which successively gives an impression to the stereotype forms. These three blankets, of course, receive the set off from the first-printed side of the paper, and will thus enable the machine to print three times the quantity of paper that a single blanket cylinder would before the off-set begins to appear. The paper then passes onward to the cutting cylinders, the periphery of one of which is furnished with a projecting knife, that as they revolve enters into a narrow groove in the opposite cylinder and thus at each revolution severs a sheet from the roll. These sheets are successively conveyed by two series of endless tapes to a revolving cylinder which retains them until six for any desired number are collected upon it, when they are delivered in a body to the well known "Hoe sheet flyer" which deposits them upon a table in the usual manner so that each stroke of the sheet flyer deposits twelve (or more if desired) perfect papers on the table and with such exactness that without any manipulation they are in a condition either for packing into bundles or being sent to the folding machine. This beautiful [illegible] device for [illegible] the [illegible] sheets [illegible] cylinder and [illegible] them all together on the ordinary sheet flyer is the [illegible] of Mr S D Tucker a member of the firm. A counter is attached which shows at all times the number of sheets printed. The machine occupies a space of about twenty feet long, six feet wide and seven feet high.

It will be seen that the machine does all the work itself requiring only a little watching to see that all goes right and the way in which it uses up the great roll of paper quietly laying down the finished sheets at the rate of five hundred a minute impresses one with the idea of conscious intelligence. The only human interference from the time the press is started till the whole edition is run off is to put on a fresh roll of paper when one is exhausted, and to carry away the finished sheets to the folding machine which turns them out smoothly and evenly folded ready for the carriers or the mails.

Salem did not have any shooting match last Sunday, as was previously announced.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING, Jan. 17, 1876

Gold in New York 113

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 88 selling 89

Coin Exchange on San Francisco at par

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent premium

Coin Exchange on New York ¼ per cent premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium.

Currency Exchange on New York ¼ per cent premium

Gold Bars 750 par

The local market, financially speaking presents nothing new which demands especial comment. For some weeks before the old year closed there was an evident tendency in the money drift toward accumulation in a few hands comparatively and a relaxation in the conditions of loans and other accommodations. The season has been one of marked economy and this involved the contraction of business to a greater or less extent in almost every department. Profits as a rule have been small but if the results as seen now when footed do not fulfill expectations there remains the compensating reflection that the economy and conservatism practiced have brought the commerce and industries of the country back nearer to their normal condition. It is admitted that for many former years there was a great deal of over trading, and that the business of 1875 was not up to the average. This is perhaps true in both cases to a certain extent and goes to show that importers are practicing a conservative policy in order to restore trade to a sound and profitable basis. The exports also showed a decrease owing in a great measure to the depressed condition of the industrial and commercial enterprises in Europe. The number of failures as shown by carefully kept records was very large at the beginning of the year but fell off toward the close. The failures in the United States for the first six months of 1875 were greater by far than during the corresponding time in 1874 but in the last six months they were much less than in the last half year of 1874. An Eastern exchange which claims that the outlook for business generally is good thinks the business community has learned a lesson which if properly heeded, will be of incalculable benefit and remarks as one of the principal causes of so great a number of failures the desire to become wealthy in a very short time and making a mistake between commercial enterprise and tact and dishonesty. There are cases on this coast that it would require very close observation to tell under which of these heads they should be classed but between those may belong to one class or the other and those who pursue a steadily legitimate course in the conduct of their business the line of demarkation is quite as distinctly drawn as in any business community elsewhere notwithstanding an assertion which we find floating around in some Eastern papers that three fourths of the merchants on the Pacific coast were dabblers in stocks. As for San Francisco business men we do not believe it to be true and as for the merchants of Portland we know it to be false.

New York Dry Goods Trade

The imports of foreign dry goods at New York for the month of December were valued at $ [illegible] 000 which is the lightest monthly aggregate for the year. This branch of trade has been steadily declining since August a result of the hard times at the East. The most active months are January February and March and July August and September. The imports for the former period are to meet the spring trade and the latter to meet the fall trade. Even for these months the figures for this year are less than in previous years. The result is of course a diminished total which for the past year is $90 800 000 against $106 600 000 in 1874, $114 200 000 in 1873 and $135,800 000 in 1872. The amount is the smallest since 1869, though previously it was only exceeded three times.

Domestic Produce

Our wheat quotations are for fair lots of shipping while such a quantity as a cargo would command an advance of 1@2½ cents per cental more, though exporters seem to be indifferent purchasers under the circumstances there being nine vessels with a carrying capacity of about 13 000 tons now in port and all we believe under engagement to load. There is no means of ascertaining the exact amount of wheat in store here, or that already purchased and to arrive but receipts are large and ships are not being at all delayed for want of cargoes the stocks at hand being yet quite ample to furnish all that can be accommodated at the several docks. All the vessels in port have promise of quick dispatch.

There is but little disposition shown on the part of exporters to take up ships under the present aspect of foreign wheat markets though one is occasionally fixed the last charter reported hence for Cork or the United Kingdom at 72 shillings which is a good figure taking into consideration the present prices of wheat here and in the English markets.

Flour is reported in liberal supply with a fair local trade and a dull export demand. Several State mills have accumulated rather more stock of flour than they would but for the high prices which the offal bran shorts etc have borne in the local market recently. But bran even at $22 per ton shorts at $30 and fine middlings at $40 will not pay enough to justify the accumulation of such a great surplus of flour to be held for an indefinite length of time and hence the mills are compelled to run on short time or shut down entirely until the market shall improve. Leading brands of extra flour are now selling in lots at $5 per bbl a decline of 25 cents. Aside from the flour and grain trade the volume of domestic produce receipts is kept up to about the average for the season with a generally weak market and in some lines a positively declining tendency.

Shipping Intelligence.

The following named vessels are now in port, all under engagement to load breadstuffs for Europe: the Dovenby discharging at Pacific wharf, the Abbotsford, Carisbrooke Castle and Aglaia at Flanders' wharf loading, the Dauntless loading at the east side wharf, the Camen discharging at the Gas Co's dock and the Renfrewshire at Greenwich, the City of Tanjore, repairing at Albina and the Santon, lying in the stream awaiting room at the dock.

The bark Tam O'Shanter has her cargo consisting mostly of produce about finished and will sail for San Francisco in a few days.

The prospects now are that the steamship Ajax will sail for San Francisco about the last of this week.

BY TELEGRAPH

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 17—Arrived—Schr Parallel, brig Sheet Anchor, schr Vanderbilt, schr Jennie Thelin, schr Superior, schr Norway, schr Alfred, schr Cassie Hayward, schr Brother Coos Bay, bark [illegible] Port Madison, bark Mary Glover, Departure Bay, bark Ida [illegible] Tyler, bark Discovery, bark Isaac Jeanes, Seabeck, bark Caroline Reed, Port Blakeley, schr J B Leeds, [illegible] ship Lookout, Bellingham Bay, N Y ship Germania, Bellingham Bay

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Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots $1 67½ per cental sacked

FLOUR—Quotable best brands $5 00@[illegible] outside and country brands $[illegible] and superfine, $4 00@4 25

OATS—Choice white 70 [illegible] common 60c, black 60c

BARLEY—Choice brewing $[illegible] feed $1 [illegible]@1 30 ℔ cwt

MILL FEED—Bran $[illegible] shorts $30, chopped middlings [illegible] oil cake meal $40

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid [illegible] brine 20@25c roll [illegible] fancy dairy [illegible] cheese [illegible]

EGGS—Quotable [illegible] dozen

CHICKENS—Full grown [illegible]

HIDES AND FURS—[illegible] mink skins $1 [illegible] otter, [illegible] each beaver $1 [illegible]

POTATOES—Common [illegible] choice [illegible] bushel

ONIONS—[illegible]

HAY—Choice timothy baled $[illegible] loose $[illegible]

DRIED APPLES—In sacks [illegible]

DRIED PLUMS—[illegible]

RIPE FRUIT—Apples [illegible] pears [illegible]

BACON—Hams [illegible]

LARD—Oregon [illegible] tins [illegible] kegs 14

San Francisco Markets

BY TELEGRAPH

SAN FRANCISCO [illegible] extra $5 75 [illegible]

Wheat—Fair $1 80 [illegible] milling, $1 87½, best milling [illegible]

Barley—Coast feed $1 [illegible] brewing $1 30

Oats—$2@[illegible]

Potatoes—Easy at $1 [illegible] 1 40, the latter rate for Petaluma and Tomales

Feed—Mill price for bran $[illegible] ton

Hay—$13@19

Liverpool wheat market [illegible] 10s 9d for average California [illegible]

LIST OF POST-OFFICES.

OREGON.

Baker Co.
- *Auburn,
- *Baker City,
- Clarksville
- Express Ranch,
- El Dorado
- Humboldt Basin
- Jordan Valley
- Marysville
- Pritchard's
- Stone
- Sumpter
- Wingville

Benton.
- Alsea Valley
- Drift Creek,
- *Corvallis
- Kings Valley
- Little Elk
- Monroe
- Newport
- Newton
- Philomath
- Summit
- Toledo
- Yaquina

Clackamas
- Beaver
- Butte Creek
- Canby
- Clackamas
- Clear Creek
- Damascus
- Eagle Creek
- Glad Tidings
- Highland
- Mt Tabor
- Milla
- Milwaukie
- Needy
- New Era
- Norton
- *Oregon City
- Oswego
- Sandy
- Springwater
- Union Mills
- Zion

Clatsop.
- *Astoria
- Clifton
- Jewell
- Knappa
- Nehalem
- Olney
- Skipanon
- Seaside House
- Westport.

Coos.
- Central City
- Coaledo
- Coquille
- Coos City
- Dora
- Empire City
- Enchanted Prairie
- Fairview
- Henryville
- Hermansville,
- Iowa Slough
- *Marshfield
- Ott
- Randolph
- Sitkum
- Utter City

Columbia.
- Columbia City,
- Clatskanie
- Marshland
- Rainier,
- Riverside
- St Helens
- Sauvie's Island
- Scappoose

Curry.
- Chetco
- Ellensburg,
- Port Orford

Douglas.
- Camas Valley
- Cleveland
- Coles Valley
- N Canyonville
- Drain
- Elkton
- Oakesville
- Gardiner
- Kellogg
- Looking Glass,
- Myrtle Creek
- *Oakland
- Pass Creek,
- *Roseburg
- Scottsburg,
- Ten Mile

- Umpqua City
- Wilbur,
- Yoncalla.

Grant.
- Alvord
- *Canyon City
- Camp Watson,
- Dayville,
- John Day City,
- Prairie City
- Parkersville

Jackson
- Applegate
- *Ashland Mills
- Barren
- Brownsborough
- Central Point
- Eagle Point
- Grant's Pass
- *Jacksonville
- Phœnix
- Rock Point
- Sam's Valley
- Table Rock,
- Willow Springs

Josephine.
- Kirby
- Leland
- Slate Creek
- Waldo
- Murphy

Lane.
- Belknap Springs
- Cottage Grove
- Court Fork
- Camp Creek
- Cartwrights
- Chesher
- Crow
- Dexter
- *Eugene City
- Franklin
- Goshen
- Junction
- Long Tom
- Mohawk
- Pleasant Hill
- Siuslaw
- Spencer Creek
- Springfield
- Trent
- Willamette Forks

Lake.
- Antler
- Bonanza
- Chewaukan
- Drew's Valley
- Goose Lake
- Linkville,
- Langell Valley
- Lost River
- Morgansville
- Silver Lake
- Sprague River
- Summer
- Tule Lake
- White Hall
- Yainax

Linn.
- *Albany
- Big Prairie
- *Brownsville,
- Crawfordsville,
- Diamond Hill
- Fox Valley
- Grass Ridge,
- Waterloo
- *Harrisburg
- Halsey
- Jordan
- Lebanon
- Miller,
- Mount Pleasant,
- Newberry
- Peoria
- Lime
- Scio
- Soda Springs
- Shedds
- Syracuse
- Sweethome
- Tangent

Marion.
- Aurora
- Aumsville
- Butteville
- Gervais
- Hubbard's
- Jefferson
- Marion
- Monitor
- Needyville,
- *Salem
- Silverton
- Stayton

- St Paul,
- Sublimity
- Turner,
- Woodburn,

Multnomah.
- East Portland
- *Portland
- Lowell's Valley
- St Johns
- Williams' Slough

Polk.
- Bethel
- Buena Vista
- *Dallas
- Eola
- Elk Horn
- Grand Ronde
- Independence
- Lincoln
- Luckiamute
- Lewisville
- Monmouth
- Perrydale
- Rickreall
- Zena

Tillamook.
- Garibaldi
- Kilchis
- Netarts
- Nestocton
- Tillamook
- Trask

Umatilla
- Butter Creek
- Heppner
- Meadowville
- Lena
- Milton
- Midway
- Pilot Rock
- Pendleton
- *Umatilla
- Weston
- Willow Forks

Union.
- Cove
- Island City
- *La Grande
- North Powder
- Orodell
- Summerville
- Union
- Wallowa

Wasco.
- Antelope
- Bake Oven
- Camp Polk
- Bridge Creek
- Hay Creek
- Hood River,
- Prineville
- Mitchell
- Mt. Hood
- Scotts
- Spanish Hollow,
- *The Dalles,
- Tygh Valley
- Warm Springs,
- Wasco
- Willoughby

Washington.
- Beaverton
- Cedar Mill
- Cornelius
- Dilley
- *Forest Grove,
- Gale's Creek
- Gaston
- Glencoe
- Greenville
- Hillsboro,
- Joppa
- Middleton
- Mountain Dale,
- Peake
- Sholl's Ferry
- Taylor's Ferry
- Tualatin
- Wapato
- West Union

Yamhill.
- Amity
- Bellevue
- Carlton,
- Dayton,
- *Lafayette
- *McMinnville
- North Yamhill
- St Joe
- Sheridan
- West Chehalem,
- Wheatland
- Newberg

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Clallam Co.
- Neah Bay
- New Dungeness,
- Port Angeles,

Clarke.
- Battle Ground
- Brush Prairie,
- Lewis River
- Pioneer
- Stoughton
- Union Ridge,
- *Vancouver
- Washougal,

Chehalis.
- Cedarville
- Chehalis Point,
- Elma,
- Hoquiam,
- Montesano
- Oakville
- Satsop
- Sharon

Columbia.
- Dayton,
- Pataha Prairie
- Tukanon

Cowlitz
- Castle Rock
- Carrollton
- Freeport,
- Kalama
- Lower Cowlitz
- Martin's Bluff
- Monticello
- Mt. Coffin
- Oak Point,
- Olequa
- Pekin
- Silver Lake

Island.
- Coupeville,
- [illegible]
- Utsalady

Jefferson.
- Port Discovery
- Port Ludlow
- *Port Townsend

King.
- Black River
- Dwamish
- Fall City
- *Seattle
- Slaughter
- Snoqualmie,
- Squak
- White River

Kitsap.
- Blakely
- Port Madison,

- Port William,
- Port Orchard,
- Seabeck,
- Teekalet.

Klickitat.
- Block House
- Columbus
- Goldendale,
- Klickitat City
- White Salmon

Lewis.
- Boistfort,
- Chehalis
- Cowlitz,
- Claquato,
- Little Falls,
- Glenoden
- Meadow Brook
- Mossy Rock
- Napavine
- Newaukum
- Silver Creek
- Skookum Chuck
- Winlock,

Mason.
- Arcadia
- Oakland
- Skokomish
- Sherwood's Mills

Pierce.
- Ellis
- Lake View,
- Puyallup
- *Steilacoom
- Sumner
- New Tacoma
- *Tacoma

Pacific.
- Brookfield
- Bruceport
- Chinook
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- Oysterville
- Riverside
- South Bend
- Unity
- Walton
- Woodard's Landing

Snohomish.
- Lowell
- Mukilteo
- Snohomish
- Tulalip

Skamania.
- Cascades
- Collins Landing

Stevens.
- Chewelah
- Crab Creek

- Fort Colville
- Four Lakes
- Owensburgh
- Pine Grove
- Rock Creek,
- Rosalia
- Spokane Bridge
- Spokane Falls
- Union Flat
- Walker's Prairie,

Thurston.
- Beaver
- Miami Prairie,
- *Olympia,
- Tenino
- Tumwater
- Yelm

Wahkiakum.
- Cathlamet,
- Eagle Cliff
- Skamokawa
- Waterford

Walla Walla.
- Alpowa,
- Burksville
- *Walla Walla,
- Wallula
- *Waitsburg

Whatcom.
- Cedar Grove,
- Chehalis
- Fidalgo
- La Conner
- Lummi
- Lopez,
- Orcas Island
- Samish
- Semiahmoo
- Skagit
- Trudder
- Whatcom
- Guemes

Whitman.
- Clear Creek
- Colfax
- Ewartsville,
- Palouse
- Steptoe

Yakima.
- Attanum
- Ellensburg
- Fort Simcoe
- Konnewock
- Kittitas
- Mok See
- Nanum
- Pleasant Grove,
- Selah
- Yakima.

*Money Order Offices.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

T. L. NICKLIN, Dentist,

With Hatch & Thompson,

No 109 First Street Portland Oregon

REMOVAL.

DR. ALFRED KINNEY has removed his Office and Residence to the Northwest corner of Alder and East Park streets (Tourtlu house) where he can be found at any time

REMOVAL

DOCTOR W. B. CARDWELL HAS REMOVED his office to the corner of First and Morrison in the same office with Doctor J A Chapman. He can be found at his office at all hours either day or night when not professionally absent.

THE CANVASS FOR

SAMUEL'S PORTLAND DIRECTORY

FOR 1876 has begun and will be pushed forward with the same care and accuracy that have characterized the [illegible] issues of this Publication. Something entirely new will be [illegible] making the most valuable Book of reference ever is[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

L SAMUEL [illegible]
[illegible] ington street [illegible]

Ordinance No 1716

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE [illegible] [illegible]

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Passed the Common Council January [illegible] 1876
W S CAIDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January 7 1876
J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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BANKS.

LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept, subject to Check at sight.

COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted

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President HENRY FAILING,
Cashier JAMES STEEL,

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FREDK. TOWNSEND,
Acting Manager

Ordinance No. 1714.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING CERTAIN APPROPRIATIONS out of the Fire Department Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund

For quarterly allowances for the several Fire Companies as provided by Ordinance No 1146 the sum of six thousand nine hundred and forty dollars.

For supply of water under contract with the Portland Water Company thirty six hundred dollars.

Passed the Common Council January 5 1876
W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January 7 1876
J A CHAPMAN,
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1715.

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PREVENTION OF fires on board vessels

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 No person shall use or allow to be used any portable light in the hold or between decks of any vessel or water craft (except in the cabin) while lying within the city limits unless such light be securely enclosed in a lantern

Section 2 A violation of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the City Jail not less than three or more than twenty days. One moiety of such fine when collected to be paid by the Police Judge to the person making the complaint

Passed the Common Council January 5, 1876
W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January 7 1876
J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of a Warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland dated Nov 29th 1875 commanding me to levy upon lot Number seven in Block 15, in the City of Portland, and collect assessment thereon amounting to two hundred and fifty three 90 100 ($253 90) dollars for the improvement of F street between North First and North Fourth streets I have this day levied upon said lot seven in block 15 and on Monday the 24th day of January 1876 at 10 o'clock A M of said day in front of the court house door in said City of Portland, Multnomah county, state of Oregon will sell said lot seven to the highest bidder therefor to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U S Gold and Silver coin

J H LAPPEUS Chief of Police

Portland Dec 29 1875 d30d1awltTh

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon for Multnomah county. W S Ladd C F Tilton and S G Reed partners under the firm name of Ladd & Tilton, plaintiffs, vs Peter John and Catherine John his wife defendants. To Peter John and Catherine John his wife the above named defendants. In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiffs against you which has been filed in the above entitled court and cause within ten days after service hereof on you if served in this county and if served on you in any other county in this State then within twenty days after such service and on or before the first day of the next regular term of said court which day is the 14th day of February A D 1876 and if you shall fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. You are further notified that the object of this suit is to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by you to secure the payment of $1 000 in currency and interest thereon at one per cent per month from and after the 29th day of April A D 1875 due on a certain promissory note executed by you and which mortgage is on Block No 13 in the city of East Portland Multnomah county Oregon to subject said property to sale according to law for judgment for any deficiency after application of proceeds of sale for seventy five dollars attorney's fees and for costs and disbursements of suit. This summons is published by an order of the Hon E D Shattuck Judge of said court made at Chambers on the 28th December 1875 directing publication thereof in the DAILY OREGONIAN newspaper once each week for six successive weeks. Dated Portland Oregon this 28th day of December 1875

WHALLEY & CHOEBHFIMER
Attorneys for Plaintiffs

d [illegible] law 6t

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—District of Oregon. Notice to Bankruptcy. In the matter of Chas H Friendly bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Chas H Friendly duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2 1867 for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and liabilities and other claims provable under said act and that the 8th day of January 18[illegible] is assigned for the hearing of the same before H H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy at his office in Portland in said District when and where any person may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

R WILCOX
Clerk of said Court

[illegible] law 3W

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of the St Helens Mill Company, bankrupt. I hereby give notice that a fourth general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the city of Portland in said District on the 18th day of January 1876 at [illegible] o'clock A M at the office of H H Northup Esq [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

ARTHUR CRITTENDEN
Assignee

[illegible] law 3W

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY. In the matter of [illegible] Bauer [illegible] [illegible] bankrupt. [illegible] hereby given that [illegible] said [illegible] Baum has filed his petition for a discharge from all his debts provable under said Act and that the 29th day of January 1876 at the office of H H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy in Portland District of Oregon, has been appointed for the hearing of said petition when and where the creditors of said bankrupt may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

RALPH WILCOX
Clerk of U S District Court

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RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

To Take Effect Sunday, Aug. 2d, 1874, at 4 A. M.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY)

As follows

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	7 30 A. M	Roseburg	7 10 P
Roseburg	5 00 A. M	Portland	4 15 P

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)

As follows

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	3 50 P M	Albany	8 25 P M
Albany	5.30 A M	Portland	10·05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	6 15 A M	Junction	6·00 P. M
Junction	6 45 A. M	Portland	5.15 P M

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing

PORTLAND

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P. M.

J. BRANDT Jr, Gen'l Supt

E. P ROGERS,
Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION

KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Kalama	11·20 A. M.	Tacoma	5 30 P. M
Tacoma	6 30 A. M.	Kalama	12·40 P M

CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O S N Co's Boats for all points on Columbia River

At Tenino with stages for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for Seattle Olympia and all other points on Puget Sound.

On Saturday and Wednesday at 6 A M with steamers for Port Townsend, Victoria, Nanaimo New Westminster and Fraser River

And on the 15th and 30th of each month for SAN FRANCISCO with Pacific Mail Steamship Co's first class Iron Screw Steamship

CITY OF PANAMA.

Through fare from Portland to San Francisco

Cabin $20 00 | Steerage $10 50

Through Tickets for sale at the office of the O S N Co Portland Or

J W SPRAGUE,
General Superintendent.

H W FAIRWEATHER,
General Ticket Agent

LIVERY AND HACK STABLES.

OREGON TRANSFER COMPANY

OFFICE & HACK STABLE,

N. W. Corner of Second and Stark Street

Until further notice our Carriage Rates will be as follows

Calling and Riding in City Limits, $1 00 an hour

To or from Trains and Steamboats, 50 cents each person

To and from Concerts Theaters, Balls and Parties, $1 00 a couple

Funerals each Hack $1 00 an hour

All orders given to the Drivers or left at the office will be promptly attended to day or night.

J. E. CORBETT'S

Livery, Hack & Feed Stables,

(FIRE PROOF),

COR. SECOND AND TAYLOR STREETS.

Reasonable Charges for Hire. Particular Attention paid to Boarding Horses.

OBSERVE PRICES IN THE HACK DEPARTMENT.

Riding $1 00 per hour
Calling, $1 00 first hour, 50c each additional hour
To boats, 50 cents each passenger
Funerals, $2 per Hack
To and from Balls and Parties, $1 50 a couple

Orders left at STABLE or FISHEL & ROBERTS, promptly attended to at any hour

People without means will be furnished Hacks free to funerals for the next thirty days.

LAND FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Choice Farms for Sale.

4,000 ACRES, IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

230 ACRES DUE SOUTH AND ADJOINING the Railroad Depot at Salem all under cultivation and suitable for grain or vegetables

940 ACRES four miles southeast of Salem, on the railroad, with Mill creek running through it. This is the choicest farming land in Marion county with fine springs consisting in part of the old Rector donation claim on which I raised the present year fifty bushels of wheat and three tons of timothy per acre. The first crop of oats ever raised on part of this land measured ninety four bushels per acre grain weighed and ground cleaned by Mr Alfred Stanton of Salem

3,700 ACRES of prairie and light brush land with timber for farming purposes bounded by the Willamette river for four miles beautiful lake on the east boat landings all along the river commencing four miles north of Salem—all choice grain land—the largest and most suitable body of land to be found in the Willamette valley to be purchased by a colony. To be sold from $16 to $25 per acre. This land will all be immediately resurveyed and can be sold in larger or smaller parcels to suit purchasers. It can be subdivided to the best possible advantage, and I can offer any person or persons or colony of persons desiring to purchase homes in the best part of the Willamette valley near the city of Salem and within reach of the best social advantages as well as most favorably located with respect to markets greater advantages on more favorable terms, than they ever expect to realize again

Salem Nov 9 1875 THOMAS CROSS
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Fourteenth Year of Publication.

PORTLAND

CITY DIRECTORY For 1876.

IN PRESS AND WILL BE PUBLISHED ON OR about February 1 1876, the PORTLAND CITY DIRECTORY for 1876 embracing a General Directory of Residents, a Directory of East Portland together with a Business Directory and other Statistics relative to the Progress and Present Condition of the City

This being the FOURTEENTH ANNUAL ISSUE of the above work the publisher will spare no effort to render it FULLY RELIABLE and ACCURATE his aim being to make the DIRECTORY useful to every citizen in Portland as a full annual index of the commercial condition of the city

The CANVASSING FOR NAMES in this city and East Portland will be entrusted to reliable parties so as to ensure correctness in every detail

A Competent Canvasser will solicit for Advertisements and the Publisher hopes that the same patronage may be extended to the contemplated issue that has been received during the past twelve years

Be [illegible] all alterations in firms or Business [illegible] at the office of Publication

S J McCORMICK, Publisher,
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NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm are payable to W J Quinn who is alone authorized to receipt for the same.

C A JOHNSON,
W J QUINN

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OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S Steamer

AJAX.

FRED BOLLES, Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at Foot of F street, for the above port

THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 1876.
At 4 o'clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner F and Front streets.

GEO W WEIDLER, Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, VICTORIA, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE and SITKA.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.'S Steam Propeller

CALIFORNIA,

JOHN HAYES Commander,

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THE FIRST CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP

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Passengers leave Portland per Steamer "Bonita," SATURDAY, JAN. 15, AT 6 A. M.

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Cabin $20 00 | Steerage $10 50

Tickets for sale at office Oregon Steam Navigation Company, corner Front and Ash streets up stairs.

Through Tickets sold to China, Sandwich Islands, Australia, New Zealand, Panama and New York

RIVER STEAMERS.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER SEPT 17TH until further notice the Steamer E. N. COOKE will leave her dock foot of F street, every day (Sundays excepted), at 2:30 P. M. for Oregon City

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of [illegible] Milwain bankrupt. I hereby give notice that a second general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the city of Portland in said District, on the third day of February 1876 at 10 o'clock A. M. at the office of H H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy for the purposes named in section 5092 of the Revised Statutes of the United States

L. BROOKE Assignee

Portland Jan 4 1876